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### REMEMBRANCE DAY EDITORIAL

A week late are we with our "Remembrance Day" editorial, but how could it be otherwise when we clip it from the Financial Post of Nov. 11? It is not our custom, as our readers know to their sorrow sometimes, to beg, borrow or steal editorials. Our attitude usually is "a poor thing but our own," and we have reason to believe that Era subscribers accept our efforts in the same spirit. We quote with reason, to show that a leading business periodical espouses a possibly unpopular but, we believe, sound viewpoint. It is the viewpoint that we have taken from the outbreak of the war and it is the viewpoint which we hope and pray will prevail when peace comes, much as it may conflict with the outmoded imperialism so easily aroused in any of us by thoughtless leaders.

"Before the hysteria and propaganda of the second world war got too great a hold on us, it is imperative that the peoples of Canada and the allied nations keep a clear vision of what it is we hope to achieve at the end of this present conflict.

"Remembrance Day may serve a double purpose this year: to recall the sacrifices of 1914-1918 and to recall the mistakes of 1919-1939. And we may ask the American people to join us in remembering.

"If the American continent is to prosper in the world of tomorrow we must get a final economic and political settlement out of this war. We cannot get such a settlement unless we measure up to the task of a wise and just peace; unless we try to control the hysteria and hate which made a proper peace settlement difficult, if not impossible, in 1918. Twenty years ago it was the politicians who wrote the peace treaty. The economists ought to be given a hand in the job the next time. Public opinion must be prepared to avoid the pitfalls of the 1918 tragedy.

"But even a treaty of peace cannot produce a settlement. Much more influential than a scrap of paper like a peace treaty in determining the fate of the world will be the economic policies that the nations decide to pursue in the days of reconstruction. That much at least we should have learned in these fateful 21 years.

"Among the policies that are essential to an economic settlement and to continued peace after the war will be these:

"1. Unselfish, courageous, generous policies of lending. There must be free flow of capital across international frontiers. The new world will have to undertake the job of rebuilding the old world. The day will come, as a case in point, when we shall have to help the German people build themselves a new nation and a new economy in which Hitlerism can never again take hold.

"2. There will have to be freer flow of trade between nations. The dragon's teeth of incredibly stupid trade barriers have already raised us a crop of avenging warriors. Let's sow no more dragon's teeth of that kind, but use tariffs to direct trade rather than destroy it.

"3. Above all there must be a genuine effort to settle the unsolved problems of access to raw materials and of redistribution of population.

"At Versailles there was a wild scramble for vantage points from which to fight the next war. There was no effort at economic settlement, and as a result we did not get peace. We merely got a combination of revolutionary and power politics.

"Neither Canada nor the United States can dodge their responsibility for achieving such a settlement.

"We must not lure Europe into a fanciful scheme of collective security and then drop out when our strength is most needed. We must not ask Europe to pay its debts out of an empty treasury and refuse Europe the right to pay those debts with the products their people could produce by manual labor. We must not pour millions of new capital into Europe in a purely speculative fever and then cut off the flow with the abruptness of a guillotine severing a main artery.

"And so on Remembrance Day let us ponder deeply on the fact that winning the war is only part of the battle. Achieving a just and enduring peace, based on economic security, is an equally important objective."

### TAX PENALTIES AND HOW TO AVOID THEM

There was a worth-while thought in Mayor Boyd's remarks at last week's town council meeting. He pointed out that unfortunately the people who pay tax penalties are those who can least afford to do so. That is unfortunate, but there is little that the town council can do about it. It would not be feasible to give a discount to those who are slow pay, although business concerns and private individuals sometimes compromise in order to realize a little out of a slow or bad debt.

### Income Taxes Preferable

The only way in which it is possible to help "those who can least afford to pay tax penalties" is through making real estate taxation as light as possible and resort to other forms of taxation. A municipality can do little in that direction itself but the mill and a half contribution which municipalities receive from the provincial government is a good example of what can be done. This money is supposed to be a share of the provincial income tax and of the provincial gasoline tax. In other words, it comes from those who can better afford to pay and lightens the burdens of "those who can least afford to pay tax penalties."

### Installment Payments

A way in which the town could help its least well-to-do citizens, and others as well, would be to make taxes payable at more frequent intervals,

say, quarterly, or, preferably monthly. As Dr. Boyd pointed out last week, it is difficult to get a large amount together in a hurry. A person should set aside a little money from time to time in anticipation of the half-yearly tax payment that will become due, but few people have the foresight to do that. Monthly payment of taxes would help most citizens and the town would collect more of its taxes in return for the additional office-work required. Even business concerns would welcome a system which would fairly distribute taxes over the entire year.

### THAT HYDRO SETTLEMENT

(After writing these impressions of last week's council meeting, we talked with Mayor Boyd about the settlement. Mayor Boyd said (1) that the town solicitor, Mr. Mathews, had obtained the best available legal opinion on the contract with the Hydro; (2) that so far as he was concerned Newmarket never would undertake to develop its own power; and (3) that there was little discussion of the settlement last Monday because the councillors had discussed it so much privately and were so familiar with it. Mr. Mathews told The Era that he believed that he had read the legal opinion, referred to by the mayor, to the council in the spring and that he had recommended the acceptance of the settlement. While this information throws a different light on last week's council meeting, and better explains to citizens why their expected rebate of over \$10,000 did not materialize, the following article still represents the impression which the average citizen, not in the "know," would have had of last week's meeting.)

Before submitting to the Ontario Hydro's threat that it would dishonor its 1934 agreement (made under a different Hydro chairman), the Newmarket town council, it seems to us, might have given a little more consideration to the strength of its own case. It isn't good business to give up with the remark that "you can't fight a big corporation like the Hydro." Even the lowliest individual has as much right, and will receive as much consideration, in Ontario's courts as the Ontario Hydro-Electric power commission. We doubt very much if Ontario courts would have upheld the Hydro's claim that it was not bound by a duly-made contract to sell power at a flat rate because it was not ratified by the legislature. The courts might well have taken the position that the 1934 agreement was not a new contract but merely an acknowledgment by the Hydro that the original contract inherited by Hydro was still in force. That interpretation would not have conflicted with the Hydro's inability to sell power at any price other than cost.

### Legal Opinion Desirable

The council might have heard the town solicitor's opinion, and, with his advice, might have sought the opinion of other learned counsel. Did Newmarket's representatives study the legislation creating the Hydro, or did we just accept the statement that the Hydro's 1934 agreement was invalid?

### Would Hydro Have Done It?

There is a good deal of reason to doubt whether the Ontario Hydro could have avoided its obligations to Newmarket without resort to the legislature, and we doubt if Hydro, in view of the criticism it has had to take as the result of its last resort to the legislature in order to avoid its obligations, would have taken that step. At least, we think the issue was not so clear that the council should have disposed of it in a few minutes and rushed through a by-law accepting the Hydro's threat-accompanied offer.

### A Forgotten Angle

There was another angle too which deserved consideration. In the \$800 report of Mr. McClymont, which uncovered the town's claim against the Hydro and therefore will pay the town cash dividends, there appears the following statement: "You can generate your own power at a cost somewhat below what you are now paying. This includes operation, maintenance and capital charges. Consequently at the termination of the present contract in April, 1945, you will still be in a position to continue to operate your own system at rates which represent a considerable saving to the ratepayers when compared with rates in many Hydro municipalities. There need therefore be no hesitation in making expenditures necessary to put the system on a sound operating basis on account of the short remaining life of the present contract."

### Worth Study

Link this with the Hydro's reputed offer to pay the town \$15,000 in settlement of its claim, and end the contract in April, 1940, and there is something to give more than a few minutes consideration. It is true that there is a war in progress which has already added a quarter of a cent a gallon to high-grade fuel oil. It is also true that some Diesel engines come from Germany and Britain, and that a Diesel engine purchased from the United States would be increased in cost by reason of the rate of exchange. There is still a situation to be investigated. Would it still be possible to develop power more cheaply than it is now being purchased? Would it be possible to secure a five-year contract for the supply of fuel oil at a fixed price? Money will be borrowed more cheaply now probably than in five years time.

### The Forgotten Fear

Let us remember that we are going ahead with heavy expenditures on our present system on the strength of the reassurance contained in the paragraph quoted from the McClymont report. Mr. McClymont did not say that the changes which Newmarket is now making will be satisfactory to the Ontario Hydro when and if Newmarket should become a Hydro municipality, but that, for the reasons given, Newmarket doesn't need to worry about whether the improvements are satisfactory to the Hydro or not.

### Too Much Haste

On this question Mr. McClymont might have been consulted again and his opinion made available to the citizens before the council reached a decision. On the legal question the town solicitor might have been consulted and his opinion made available to the public before the council reached its decision. The public's opinion is always worth hearing. Or did the Ontario Hydro put its various offers in the form of an ultimatum requiring an immediate decision?

### DISCOUNT ON WATER AND LIGHT

Now that the town has a billing-machine that will figure a problem out in the time a human

being would have been rolling up his shirt-sleeves, it might be a good idea to add a notation to the water and light bills saying: "Your bill will be only blank-blank dollars and cents if paid on or before the 15th (or other date) of the month." A ten per cent discount would not be too much to allow for prompt payment.

### REMEMBRANCE DAY

Some towns observed Remembrance Day and some did not. In some the stores closed all day and in some from 10.30 a.m. until noon or one. Newmarket, for the first time in 20 years, did not seem to observe the customary two minutes' silence. In other years the factory whistles have blown the signal for the silence but this year none gave the signal and most people carried on as usual. Newmarket people, we think, were right. In other years they gave thanks for the "cease fire" which came on Nov. 11, 1918, and they prayed that it might be a permanent peace. This year all that remained were the sacrifices (the lives lost and spoiled in the great struggle and the great debt burdens) of 1914-18. Remembrance Day will be restored to its old place and be given new meaning when this war is done. Gradually, as men become sure that at last they have achieved permanent peace, it may become a day of thanksgiving for all the world.

### MR. CROSS' PROCEDURE

Both the Toronto Star and the Toronto Evening



Lagunillas, South American village on stilts, was the scene of a tragic fire on Monday when it is reported that more than 500 people lost their lives. The town was one of the major oil terminals of Venezuela.

A British destroyer struck a mine and sank, the British admiralty has announced, presumably while on submarine patrol on Tuesday morning early. This is the third warship that the British have lost since the outbreak of the war.

An anti-monarchist purge was reported to be taking place in Germany this week, following the recent beer-cellar explosion at Munich. Rumor indicates that five princes and nine generals have been arrested and that Prince Friedrich, the Kaiser's favorite grandson, has been executed.

Col. R. J. E. Graham, ex-mayor of Belleville, lost his life near Madoc on Sunday, when his plane made a forced landing on a lake and overturned. The pilot, Ellsworth Rogers of Toronto, was unable to climb to safety but was unable to extricate his companion, who was drowned.

The most violent earthquake in 15 years occurred in the Vancouver and Victoria districts and in the State of Washington on Sunday night. Although little damage was reported, many people spent the rest of the night in auto camps.

No casualties resulted from a German air raid on the Shetland Islands on Monday, when it is believed that 12 bombs were dropped by four planes.

City and provincial police raided the offices of the Toronto leftist weekly newspaper, the Clarion, this week. No arrests were made although it is thought that books and records were seized.

## 25 YEARS AGO

From Era file, Nov. 13, 1914

Mr. Harry Johns of Toronto was home over Sunday. Miss Ethel Falls of Toronto spent the weekend with Miss Lella Manning.

Mrs. L. G. Jackson entertained a number of elderly ladies yesterday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Kidd of Toronto spent Sunday with Miss Florence Collins.

Mrs. C. E. Cane attended a Women's Institute convention in Toronto this week.

Mrs. J. R. Y. Broughton and Miss Drifill are spending this week with friends in Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton of Keswick have moved to Newmarket and taken up residence on Simcoe St.

Miss Helen Strachan of Toronto was the guest of Miss Irene Cane a few days last week.

Mr. B. Tomlinson and daughter, Mrs. J. Clark, were calling on Mr. and Mrs. S. C. McKewon on Friday last week.

Telegram, as well as many newspapers throughout the province, are opposing the Hon. Eric Cross' proposed suspension of municipal elections. Perhaps we should not say "proposed," for Mr. Cross presented his idea in the form of a thing accomplished, with the approval of the legislature to follow as a matter of course. Everyone knows that the government can secure legislative approval for any of its proposals, but it is customary for a minister of the crown to pay the legislature and the people the compliment of submitting the matter to the legislature for debate.

### What He Might Have Done

In this instance, Mr. Cross had to make his announcement before the approaching municipal elections are held, so that people would know that their councils would be in office for at least two years. We think Mr. Cross might have merely notified the public that he would present his proposal to the legislature and that the public should be prepared for the possibility that the councils elected at the end of this year might be in office for two years or longer. That would seem more democratic procedure.

### Under Fire

Mr. Cross was not content to "fly a kite." He loaded his ship with gasoline and took off on a trans-continental flight without warning to the public. It is no wonder that the anti-aircraft guns are "popping."

## The Common Round

"CLOUD OF WITNESSES"

By Isabel Inglis Colville

Wasn't it St. Paul who said, "Seeing we are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses?"

By the time this goes to print, another anniversary of Armistice Day will have gone from the volcanic present to follow its predecessors into the uneasy past.

There has never, I suppose, been a real peace celebration. On the first Armistice Day the Allies, flushed with victory, thought, if anyone, unless the bereaved, really thought, on that mad, hectic day—either of two things, that it would have been better to go on fighting a little longer and ensure a lasting victory; or that such terms would be dictated to Germany as to forestall the remotest possibility of her ever again facing the Allies on the battlefield.

One wonders if a faint reflection of the Golden Rule had entered into the Treaty of Versailles if the present debacle would ever have occurred.

But the sense of being crushed, if suppression is like covering a preparation of yeast, it is bound to effervesce, and the lid will fly off.

In Germany the lid was helped off and more yeast added, by a man who took advantage of the situation, not from love of Germany, but from love of power, a passion which knew no limitations.

Other men, down through the ages, have seized power and used it much as Herr Hitler has done, and their pomp of yesterday is one with Nineveh and Tyre—one wonders if Herr Hitler reads history.

But when I began this article, I was thinking of the silent armies which marched home to the various countries, with the victors and the vanquished.

And surely that silent army, that "cloud of witnesses," was a vivid reality to many of us.

Members of it marched beside mothers and fathers, wives and sweethearts, who, amid the general rejoicing, saw shadowy forms and faces where once strong, well-loved figures proudly walked.

We speak of them as dead—those valiant hearts—and yet, perhaps more than anything or

anyone else, they have been factors in the reluctance of the democracies to enter into war.

They, those lads from our homes, gave their all so generously, so splendidly, that nothing short of tragic necessity would even make their countries ask the same sacrifice of their successors.

One feels it is the invisible might of that silent army which whispers to our leaders, "check impulse; conserve the lives committed to your care."

As Armistice Day comes round each year, it brings back two pictures—pictures so vivid that time has no power to erase them. We have the moving picture of the men who marched away; that picture is gay and colorful; set to music, with the weeping down in the privacy of home, lest anything mar the glory of that going.

We have the other picture—the return of those who made the passage perilous. This picture, with always a background of shadowy forms—one felt their presence—in more sombre colors, with only the weeping of thanksgiving or of bereavement as an accompaniment.

We feel, most of us, that this war is a stern and bitter necessity, and that again men must lay down their lives to ensure the right to live normal, useful lives; not to exist in a state of tension and fear, and if we believe St. Paul, over all is a great "cloud of witnesses."

The memory of them should inspire our leaders to face the post-war problems in a way that will make the ideals for which they gave their all, the sure and lasting corner-stones in the foundation of a world peace.

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### ROB ROBIN CAN'T TAKE IT

BY RUTH DINGMAN HERB

"Why, Rob Robin, you're shivering!" exclaimed Slaty, the Junco, as he hopped around the garden with some of his friends.

"I know it," snapped back Rob Robin irritably. "I'm cold. I'm sure I don't know why I've stayed in this bleak country this long. I'm leaving tomorrow."

"I thought you liked it here," called Young Chips, the Chickadee, from the tip of a spruce tree branch.

"I do like it in the spring and summer," replied the Robin, "but some of these November days have been almost uncivilized. Why there's even been snow."

"Pooh, that won't hurt you," scoffed Young Chips. "We don't mind snow, do we Slaty?"

"No, of course not," replied Slaty in a teasing voice. "You don't either, do you, Mr. Purple Finch?"

"Certainly not," came a voice from the same tree which the Chickadee was exploring. The speaker was a fairly small bird, not much bigger than the Chickadee. He was a streaky olive-brown color.

"You're only a youngster, you've never experienced a cold winter yet—so you don't know what you're talking about," protested Rob Robin.

"I may be young, but I can sing just as well as my father," said the Finch. "Besides, how do you know how old I am?"

"It's simple," said the Robin. "Your feathers aren't a nice, purple rose color like the adult male Finch's should be."

"Well, anyway, I'm sure I'll like the cold weather," said the young Finch. "All our family like southern Ontario in the winter. We're not afraid of snow. You're not either, are you Mr. Brown Creeper?"

"What? Was someone speaking to me?" inquired a startled voice, and shy little Brownie, the Brown Creeper, stopped circling up a big tree trunk and spoke to the crowd.

"No, we Creepers generally spend quite a good deal of the winter in these parts," he said. "What did you want to know for?"

"They're all teasing poor Rob Robin for feeling the cold and wanting to go south," explained one of the Juncos. "The rest of us don't mind the snow."

"Here's someone else who agrees with Rob," said a pleasant little voice from a large bush. "I'm going away the very next good day for travelling."

"Why, it's Carol Songsparrow," exclaimed Rob. "I'm glad I've got some support."

"Oh, several of the migrating birds haven't gone yet," said Carol. "Some of the Meadowlarks are still around and some Purple Grackles, and, of course, Crows."

"Well, I don't mind saying that I hope there are some kind-hearted folks who put out feeding stations for the birds this winter," said Woody Woodpecker. "Even though we are winter birds there are a great many of us to be fed and we certainly appreciate a little assistance."

"If I thought there was going to be a real, good, reliable feeding station put up right away and kept supplied with food all winter, I'd stay right here and avoid that long, dangerous journey south," said Carol Songsparrow eagerly. "I don't mind the weather if I'm sure of a food supply."

"In other words," said Young Chips, "any bird lover who wants your company this winter had better get busy and get some food out."

"Yes, and that applies to lots of other birds too," said Woody Woodpecker. "It's not only the birds who usually go south that might be persuaded to hang around if food were put out—but we winter birds are attracted too. I know I like to shop around for my winter provisions and I won't stay in a place that doesn't seem to have a good food supply."

"But believe me," he added, "I'll jolly well stay near a feeding box if I find one. I hope I find some nice little lumps of suet hung outside someone's window, tied up in a piece of old curtain net. Yum! Yum!"

"It's great sport whirling around and around in mid-air as you hang on to the bag of suet," said Young Chips. "The trouble is—just try and persuade your chums to take turns. People are so greedy."

"I'm sure I don't know any greedy Downy Woodpeckers," said Woody firmly.

"We won't quarrel about it until we find some bags of suet," said Young Chips.

"If I don't tell you about it," promised Woody.

"Oh, yes, you will," said Young Chips. "You know perfectly well that you can't help telling your friends about it the minute you discover anything like that—and in a few minutes there's quite a little crowd of birds enjoying the feast."

"It's my generous nature getting the better of my good sense then," said Woody as he flew away to another tree.

### Oh! Take It!

I am glad that I am not a lawyer. They have to use such involved language. Now, when a man like you, or me, gives an orange to another, all he says is: "Here is an orange," and the matter is ended. If a lawyer gives an orange, he says: "Here, with I make over to you all interest, demands, and rights of this fruit, its peel, pulp, juice and pips. You have full authority to bite, eat, squeeze, or press it, or give it to a further owner, with or without peel, juice, pulp, or pips."

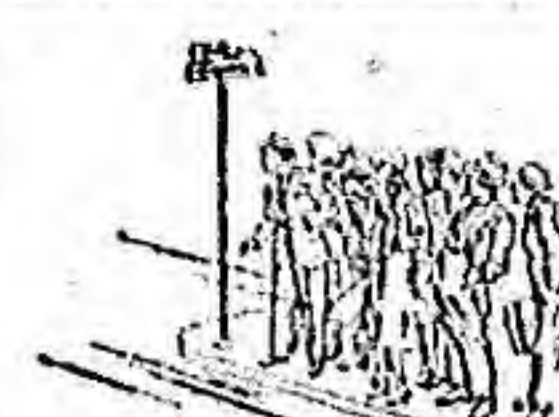
### Too Stealthy

Teacher: I should like to know why it is that whenever I leave the room, I never find anyone working when I return.

Jimmy: I know why, teacher, it's 'cause you wear rubber heels.

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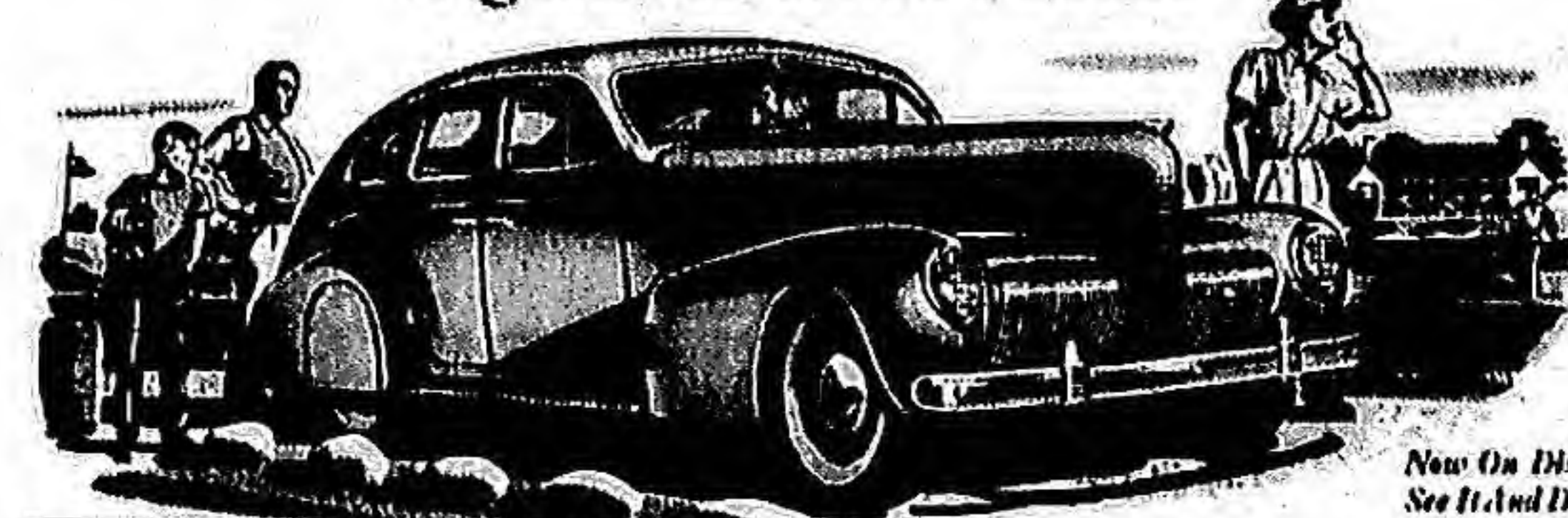
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## POLICE COURT

## POLICE COURT MOVES TO WINTER QUARTERS

The police court session held here on Tuesday and presided over by Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe lasted an hour. Several major charges were adjourned one week for hearing.

Commencing next Tuesday, Nov. 21, the police court sessions will be held in the council chambers over the fire hall instead of at the town hall.

Bail of \$2,000 was renewed for William Graham, Holland Landing, who is charged with having possession of a still and having possession of a quantity of illegal spirits. The charges, laid by Constable Hayward, R. C. M. P., were adjourned one week for hearing.

Three charges of attempting to break and enter, being drunk in a public place, and aggravated assault on a police officer, laid against William Cobbin, Scott township, were also adjourned one week. The charges were laid by Constable George Longhurst, Mount Albert.

Wm. N. Anglin, Orillia, speeding, 65 m.p.h. on Yonge St., \$10 and costs, charge laid by Provincial Constable Alex. Ferguson.

Earle Rosewarne, Bracebridge, speeding, \$10 and costs, charge laid by Provincial Constable Ferguson.

William Specchuk, Toronto, attempting to pass when the road ahead was not clear of approaching traffic, \$5 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Kenneth Bishop, Newmarket, bad lights, \$1 and costs, charge laid by Constable Ferguson.

Dominion Brake Co., Toronto, having an illegal license, \$10 and costs, charge laid by County Constable Wm. Martindale.

A charge of not paying wages laid against James Ferguson, King township, was dismissed when the complainant W. T. Smith, Toronto, failed to appear.

A charge of careless driving laid against Nelson F. Nicholson, Toronto, was also dismissed.

"I was called to the scene of an accident at the Bond Lake curve on the morning of Oct. 22," testified Constable Ferguson. "I found the Nicholson car on its side and it had turned over twice. I traced skidmarks for 100 feet extending from the middle of the road. A soft snow had fallen and the driving was dangerous. Two people received painful injuries in the accident and they were taken to the hospital. The driver couldn't account for the accident but in my opinion he was driving too fast."

"I have been driving for several years and have never been in an accident before," stated Nicholson. "I had slowed down to below 40 m.p.h. when I started to go around the curve and all at once I got the feeling that my car was going to fly. There was some vegetation wrapped in wax paper on the highway and I might have struck that."

"This is one of those cases where it is hard to say what happened," stated Magistrate Woodliffe. "I can't see any evidence of reckless driving, only in the result. I think the accident was caused by the wet pavement."

A charge of theft of a quantity of cordwood laid against Jack and Charles Turner, Toronto, was also dismissed. Eli Silpola, East Gwillimbury, was the complainant.

"On Sept. 16, when I was in the Christie St. hospital, Charles Turner came to the hospital and asked me if I had any wood and I told him yes," stated Mr. Silpola. "He made an agreement with me to get the wood but he was to pay for it first. He paid me part of the money and was supposed to pay me the balance the next day before going for the wood. When I returned from the hospital the wood had gone but I had not received the money. About three weeks ago I found out the address of the pair and the charge was laid against them. They both came to see me last night and they said that they took the wood and that they were willing to pay for it, so I would like to have the charge withdrawn if they will pay me the money."

"Did you and your brother take the wood?" asked Mr. Mathews.

"Yes," answered Charles Turner. "I went to the hospital and I agreed to pay \$25 for the wood and I paid him \$13. Mr. Silpola gave me a letter to give to his wife so that we could get the wood. The wife wasn't home when we got there, so we showed it to another man."

The letter was produced in court and as it was written in Finnish, Mr. Silpola was asked to translate it.

"I told Mr. Silpola that I would pay the rest of the money the following day but I didn't pay him and I still owe \$12," stated Charles Turner.

"This is a civil case but if you owe him the \$12 you had better pay it," stated Magistrate Woodliffe in dismissing the case.

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## QUEENSVILLE OVER 2,500 ATTEND JUBILEE SERVICES

Queensville United church golden jubilee anniversary services came to a close on Sunday, the total attendance estimated at over 2,500.

On Sunday the services were in the charge of the local Y.P.U. Rev. C. E. Fockler, of Keswick, was the guest minister at the morning service, and gave a most inspiring talk on "Worship, Love and the Home." He was assisted by the Young People's choir.

In the evening, the largest crowd to ever attend a church service in the 50-year-old church was present, the occasion being a young people's rally, when nearly 700 young people from surrounding churches were present.

Rev. J. D. Parks of Toronto was the guest minister, and delivered a most inspiring sermon on "God's Living Temples." Baker Hill ladies' choir rendered special music which was enjoyed by all. The congregational singing was led by Mrs. J. L. Smith, at the organ, and Miss Vera Arnold, at the piano.

Following the service a fellowship hour was held in the Sunday-school rooms. Mrs. Hugh Shannon and Miss Vera Hunter poured tea. The ladies' choir rendered several numbers. Greetings were extended from Miss Hunter, the presbytery president. Rev. Mr. Fockler spoke briefly and Rev. R. R. McMath pronounced the benediction.

**Held Camp Reunion**  
Camp. Ahshunyoung reunion will be held in Uxbridge United church on Friday evening, Nov. 17. Rev. Bruce Gray will be the speaker.

The hunters have returned home, some with their allotment, and others not quite so lucky.

The Queensville Women's Missionary Society will hold its meeting in the basement of the church on Thursday, Nov. 23, at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. J. A. Maitland of Newmarket will be the guest speaker. An interesting meeting is expected.

All ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to attend.

**Ravenshoe**  
Thos. Bell has moved his blacksmith shop and is busy remodeling it.

Mrs. Mooney and Mrs. Walker, Toronto, are visiting Mrs. Irvine Rose this week.

Mrs. Leslie Glover, Cochrane, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. L. Mahoney.

Mrs. Max Glover spent several days last week visiting friends in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. William Greenwood, and Mrs. Pike and children Kinsella, Alberta, left for home last week after visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. Charles Pickering returned home after spending the season at Bolton.

A large number of parents enjoyed the Halloween party given by Miss Atkinson and pupils.

A few of the local hunters left last week for the north country to enjoy the hunt.

Those who were fortunate enough to see the hunt club Saturday surely thought it a splendid sight, good riders and beautiful horses, and the well-trained dogs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. McClure spent Sunday at Mr. Frank Grabara's.

**Zephyr**  
Miss Irma Lunney of Sharon is visiting her cousins here.

Miss Mabel Campbell of Lindsay is staying with her friend, Miss Muriel Lunney, for a week or ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilman Myers spent Sunday in Toronto with their daughters, Mrs. McKown and Mrs. Kearns, and family.

Four carloads of Zephyr W. M. S. ladies attended the meeting of the Sandford-Ashworth W. M. S. last Friday, which was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Gordon Myers and Mr. Raymond Bartlett attended the hockey match in Toronto arena Saturday night.

Some of the hunters from Zephyr returned from the north on Tuesday morning with their quota of game.

**Sharon**  
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Armitage of Markham were calling on friends in the village on Tuesday.

Mrs. Clark of Barrie visited Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Collins last week.

Mrs. Fred McNeill and Shirley spent Saturday last in Toronto.

Miss Edna Stevens of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Stevens.

Mrs. John Moore of Mount Albert and Miss Moore of Toronto visited Mrs. Shaw on Sunday.

Mr. Ivan Hillary of Richmond Hill spent Sunday with Mr. Ted Fife.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Brown have returned after spending a few days in Orillia with Mr. and Mrs. C. Long.

Service at the United church on Sunday will be held at the usual time, 7:30 p.m. and Sunday-school at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome at both services.

## PYGMALION AND GALATEA (Contributed)

We hope you have forgotten the story of the Green Sculptor Pygmalion and the statue "Galatea" he created, because if you have, it will be so much more fun and surprise to you when you come to see this delightful play by Sir W. S. Gilbert on Dec. 7 and 8, presented by Mrs. A. N. Belugin for the benefit of the Newmarket Red Cross Society.

You will see the "ancient Greeks" in their flowing robes, the specially designed scenery, executed by Mr. Hopkinson, and you will hear the Comedy (with a capital C) which will keep you laughing from alpha to omega (that's Greek for A to Z).

And that isn't all. There will be delightful singing by Miss Jean Davis, whom a Newmarket audience has not heard as yet.

You will see dancing by a dozen of the most winsome of the town's damsels. Dancing in the "Vienna Woods" (new scenery) and in a Turkish harem (oh, boy!) (again new scenery), arranged by Mrs. R. B. Canham, with Mrs. D. O. Mungovan and Mrs. Tom Leach at the piano, not to mention the frolicking songs and dances by the little tots who will open the show.

You shall get your money's worth and the Red Cross will get your money.

Incidentally, some public-spirited citizens are taking care of the heaviest expenses.

**Vandorf**  
Miss Olive Leach of Thomaston, Maine, has been visiting relatives here for a few weeks.

She is a niece of Mr. R. J. Carr and Mr. Lov Carr.

Mrs. H. A. Switzer is visiting her son, Kenneth, and Mrs. Switzer at Longlac.

Wesley choir took part in the anniversary services at Teston on Sunday night.

The late Dr. Eugene Underhill of Aurora was well known in this community. Dr. Underhill had a friendly personality and his host of friends here will miss him. Deepest sympathy is extended to his wife, his mother and other members of his family.

Vandorf was a busy place on Saturday. The auction sale at John Frank's farm was well patronized. The beagle hunt met at Mr. R. J. Carr's.

Edgar Rose has sold his farm to a Toronto man who is moving in this week. Mr. and Mrs. Rose have left for their new home near Mount Albert. They have been faithful members at Wesley church.

Their friends and neighbors wish them much happiness and are glad they are not going too far away.

Wesley Sunday-school will hold their Christmas concert on Tuesday, Dec. 19.

**UNITED FARMERS MARK 25 YEARS**  
Twenty-five years ago last March farmers from all over Ontario journeyed to Toronto to a big meeting in the Labor Temple, where they organized the United Farmers of Ontario and the United Farmers Co-operative Company. At their convention on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week in the King Edward hotel, Toronto, the United Farmers will celebrate their silver jubilee with a number of special anniversary features.

One of the most outstanding of these, no doubt, will be a monologue giving the highlights of the farm movement from its inception up to the present time with pictures thrown on a screen to illustrate the story as it unfolds. All who have been prominent in the movement for years back are being invited to attend and they will be introduced to the convention. Also there will be an anniversary banquet with it—big silver jubilee cake.

Tuesday, the opening day, brings an open farm conference, will be devoted entirely to the position of agriculture. Much interest is being shown in the panel discussion which will be conducted following the address.

Films of the Nova Scotia co-operative movement, film slides, the amateur contest, a tour for the young people through the parliament buildings and the Royal Ontario Museum, and the dance with Romanelli's orchestra are some of the other special features.

**GEORGINA RED CROSS WILL TAG ON NOV. 25**  
In addition to a successful membership campaign, with the total reaching towards 150, the new Red Cross branch in the township of Georgina, with headquarters in Sutton, is planning to raise a sustenance fund from which to draw for supplies of various kinds. Collecting for this fund will begin shortly and will be in the hands of responsible citizens.

The executive also plans to hold a tag day on Nov. 25 with Boy Scouts and girls of the C. G. I. T. as chief taggers and to use boxes made from shoe boxes in order to save all funds available for the buying of wool, etc. Both the organizations of

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**LOCAL MARKET**  
At a large market on Saturday, at which there was a good display of poultry, young chickens sold at 18 to 20 cents a pound and ducks were 20 cents. Butter brought 30 cents a pound. Eggs were from 38 cents to 45 cents a dozen.

Snow apples were 15 cents. Macintosh apples 25 cents and pears and carrots, 20 cents a six-quart basket. Squash and cabbage were 15 cents each. Honey was 10 cents a pound and 15 cents in the comb.

**TORONTO MARKETS**  
Cannery solids, No. 1, were 28 1/2 cents and creamery prints, No. 1, were 20 1/2 to 30 1/2 cents a pound at the Toronto markets on Tuesday. Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto, 41 to 42 cents a dozen for A large, 38 cents for A medium and 32 cents for A pullets.

Prices to the shipper for poultry were, turkeys, 10 lbs. and over, 23 cents, geese, grade A, 14 cents, young chickens, 13 to 21 1/2 lbs., 20 cents, fatted hens, 4 to 5 lbs., 14 cents, and ducklings, white, over 1 lb., 13 cents a pound.

A few weighty steers sold from \$8.40 to \$7.80. Butcher steers and heifers brought from \$5.50 to \$7.25, with a few as high as \$7.50.

Fed calves sold from \$7.50 to \$8.75. Choice veal calves finished at \$10 to \$11.

Off-truck hogs were \$8.05 to \$8.75.

**WILL PACK BALE**  
Owing to St. Paul's W. A. attending a missionary service at Trinity church, Bradford, on the day set for the packing of the bale of warm clothing and Christmas gifts for the needy settlers of the far west, the packing will take place next Tuesday evening, Nov. 21. Will the church members please take notice for their help is urgently needed. Will those who have any contributions towards the

**MRS. R. LUNNEY DIES; WAS ACTIVE WORKER**  
Suffering from a stroke, Mrs. Martha LeVina Lunney passed away suddenly at her home, Zephyr, last Thursday morning.

Born in Zephyr, March 30, 1890, she married Richard Lunney on Feb. 14, 1912.

Mrs. Lunney attended the United church and was a member of the park board and district director of Zephyr Women's Institute.

Mrs. Lunney took an active part at fall fairs, showing flowers, fruits, jams and jellies and was an enthusiastic sports and Institute worker. Mrs. Lunney will be greatly missed in the community as well as her home.

Surviving are her husband, two sons, Chesley and Stanley, at home, and five daughters, Vera, Mrs. Clarence Pleckerling, Zephyr; Myrtle, Mrs. Wm. Dunn, Newmarket; Muriel, Helen and Mildred, at home; two brothers, Wm. Clark, Newmarket, and Chesley Clark, Zephyr.

The funeral service was held from her home on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Ferguson conducted the service.

Interment was made in Mount Pleasant cemetery, Zephyr.

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TELLS OF BROTHER  
EXPECTING AIR RAIDS

Newmarket, both the city of that name in England and this Canadian town, is the home of "thoroughbreds." Herbert Hall, Hamilton, district governor of Lions clubs, told the Newmarket club on Monday evening.

"Your club has a wonderful record of welfare work," declared Mr. Hall, who was making his annual visit.

Mr. Hall spoke on the Lions club motto, "Liberty, Intelligence, Our Nation's Safety," the first letter of each word making up the club name.

Speaking on Liberty, Mr. Hall said: "Communism is a state of society in which there is nothing to eat and it is equally divided. Fascism is one in which there is nothing to eat and everybody has it."

"Under the present world regime I believe that a certain amount of arms are necessary," said Mr. Hall. He read a letter which he had received from his brother in London, England: "There is intense anxiety over here. We are all worried as to whether we will all be right into the war next week. I have been delivering gas-masks. We live in a top storey, unfortunately, for if a high explosive bomb should fall we would all be blown sky-high. We are right on the line of air-raids. At any rate, we are not funky."

"Don't do away with arms as long as there is a bully in the world who would do away with your liberty, but the sword is expensive," continued Mr. Hall. "Arms will prove the undoing of all of us. Lionism is incompatible with war. The nation's safety will never be solved until there is no more war, until swords are beaten into plowshares. May that day be hastened."

"How glad we are that we belong to this country, that we are Canadians," commented J. E. Nesbitt, in moving a vote of thanks "How glad we are that we have our neighbors to the south who think the same as we do."

Following the address Arthur Pugh, of Barrie Lions club, and Edward Webster, Hamilton, district governor's secretary, spoke briefly.

A group from the Newmarket club will accompany Deputy-District Governor W. L. Bosworth to a charter night at Penetanguishene on Nov. 23.

## DATE CHANGED

The bale being packed by St. Paul's W.A. for the west is on Wednesday instead of Tuesday afternoon.

W.C.T.U. ASKS FOR  
WARM, USED CLOTHING

The W.C.T.U. are planning to pack a bale for the West and are making an appeal for warm, used clothing in good repair.

Please leave donations at the Temperance hall, Millard Ave., on Tuesday, next.

## MAYOR TELLS OF WORK

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I ask the citizens to be patient while we are getting used to the change. If you do not understand your bill when you go to the office to pay it, Miss Parks, if she is not too busy at the moment, will explain it to you. Anyway we will soon get used to the new bills. They are the same as are used in all Hydro towns.

The machine will soon pay for itself and effect a saving of at least one quarter mill on the tax rate annually.

The new switchboard which is being put in at the waterworks requires some explanation. By reason of the fact that each year more houses are being wired and more electric stoves are being installed, the power load has become so heavy that the old switchboard became overloaded. An overloaded switchboard is dangerous. Also the old switchboard was so constructed that if any accident occurred in any part of the system a black-out of the whole town resulted. We had a taste of that not long ago when a workman at the test well accidentally severed a lead wire and the whole town was immediately in darkness.

The new switchboard will be constructed in sections so that any trouble on the line will only affect a small section of the town. Lastly, the estimated cost of the new switchboard was \$9,000. I may tell you it will be completed well within the estimates.

The New Hydro Agreement

Early in the year the council engaged Mr. McClelland, an electrical expert, and paid him \$600 to go over our electric light system. His duty was to advise the water and light committee as to changes and improvements that could be made to bring the system up-to-date. During his investigation he read the agreement we had with the Hydro and pointed out to the committee that for some time we were being overcharged and it was estimated that the Hydro had, during the past number of years, overcharged the town about \$15,000.

The water and light committee have been very energetic in dealing with the Hydro and have secured a new agreement which will secure for the town three

BRUNTON'S  
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## GROCERY DEPARTMENT

White Rose PASTRY FLOUR	24 lb. bag	49c
Crispy Crust PURE LARD	2 pounds	21c
Brunton's Broken Pekoe TEA	1 pound	59c
Johnson's GloCoat FLOOR POLISH	Reg. 59c	
	Today	50c
Red River CEREAL	large package	24c
Durham CORN STARCH	Reg. 12c	9c
Super Roasted SUNGOLD COFFEE	Freshly Ground	37c
Rose Brand BAKING POWDER	16 oz. tin	15c
Sweet as a nut OLD HICKORY SODAS	pkgs. 24c	
Fancy Assorted SWEET BISCUITS	1 pound	15c
Australian Choice CURRANTS	2 lbs.	27c
Granulated SUGAR	10 lbs.	64c
Granulated SUPER SUGAR and 2 Cakes Toilet Soap	All for	21c
PUFFED WHEAT	2 pkgs.	15c
SUNKIST ORANGES	doz.	21c
No. 1 COOKING ONIONS	5 lbs.	10c
Ontario Grown POTATOES	15 lb. peck	20c

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FLOOR COVERING	2 yards wide, square yd. 35c	
	3 yards wide, square yd. 50c	
RAG FLOOR RUGS	21 x 14 — Bargain 39c	
TABLE OIL CLOTH	(Price at mill has advanced)	
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	New 1940 Patterns	
	Friday and Saturday at old prices — 49c and 59c per yd.	
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things: (1) a saving of \$5,000 over the next five years. (2) The old agreement expired in 1940 and we would be liable to a rate of \$29 per horsepower thereafter. The new rate will be \$25 per horsepower for the years 1940-45 inclusive. (3) This new agreement will be ratified by act of parliament at the next sitting of the provincial parliament. This will do away with the necessity and the expense of submitting it to a vote of the citizens of the town of Newmarket.

## Cheap Lots For Sale

Yes! The town has plenty of cheap lots for sale in Connaught Gardens and some here and there around the town. Any citizen wishing to secure one or more of these to build on will kindly apply to the town clerk.

In conclusion I hope that the citizens of Newmarket will rise nobly to the occasion and reach the objective in the coming campaign to raise money for the Red Cross fund.

## NOTED FINANCIER DIES

Thomas Bradshaw, one of Canada's best-known business men, died Nov. 10 at his home in Toronto, in his 72nd year. Recognized as one of Canada's foremost financial experts, Mr. Bradshaw was long associated with the financial affairs of some of Toronto's largest businesses. Mr. Bradshaw was a Lake Simcoe summer resident, and has been for many years an Era subscriber, and always liberal in his praise of this rural weekly.

There is no charge for birth, death or marriage announcements in The Era. Engagement notices cost 50 cents.

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—Mrs. Wesley Boyd, Comfort Lodge, spent the weekend in Collingwood.

—Mr. Wm. Holden was in Orillia for the weekend.

—Pte. Fred Evans, Pte. Earl Wrightman and Pte. Walter Wrightman spent Armistice Day in town.

—Miss Margaret Chase is visiting at the home of Mrs. R. H. Hugo.

—Mrs. Wm. Sutton of Stayner and sons, Donald and Bobby, spent Sunday with Mrs. Sutton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Curtis.

—Mrs. Isabella Smith, accompanied by Mrs. Annie Long, also Mrs. Minnie Wilson of Pine Orchard, spent one day last week with Mrs. Graham Weddell, near Sharon.

—Mr. Guy Soules and daughter, Lenora, of Mount Dennis, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Fred West, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Harper, Bogartown, and Miss Mildred Young, Newmarket, were guests of Mr. Fleming Young for dinner on Sunday.

IS GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY  
ON EVE OF DEPARTURE

The teachers and officers of Trinity United Sunday-school went to the home of Mrs. Rowland on Millard Ave., on Wednesday night and held a surprise party for Morley. For a number of years Morley was superintendent of the intermediate department of the Sunday-school and recently has been giving splendid assistance in the junior department.

The evening was happily spent in games and stunts. On behalf of the staff, Miss Mary Lloyd presented Mr. Rowland with a copy of "Palgrave's Golden Treasury."

Expressions of goodwill and best wishes were made by a number present. Morley leaves this week for the west.

A delightful luncheon was served.

BAND WILL PLAY  
INTERESTING PROGRAM

The Newmarket Citizens' Band will play the following program of music in the town hall on Sunday evening, the concert to commence at 8.30 o'clock. J. O. Little will act as chairman. Robert Moore is the conductor of the band.

Program: hymn tune, Kipling's Recessional, "Lest We Forget," arranged by R. Moore; march, Old Comrades, C. Teike; fantasia, Opera Bouquet, arranged by Bidgood, (Synopsis); Finale Act 1 from Fra Diavolo, cornet duet, "Hear Me Norma," euphonium solo, aria from "Lucresia Borgia," prayer from "Crown Diamonds," rondo from "Crown Diamonds," cornet solo from "Rigoletto," finale of overture "William Tell."

OLIVE CLARKSON IS  
BRIDE OF K. SCOTT

A quiet wedding was solemnized at high noon on Thursday, Nov. 9, in Oakwood Presbyterian church, Toronto, when Olive Lella Clarkson, only daughter of Mrs. Clarkson and the late T. H. W. Clarkson, became the bride of Melville Kenzie Scott, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Scott, Newmarket. Rev. D. Crawford Smith officiated.

The bride wore a gown of Canard blue wool crepe with matching accessories and a corsage of Talamas roses. Her attendant was Mrs. Lawrence E. Taylor of Toronto, who was attired in a fir-tree green crepe gown with black accessories and a corsage of Johanna Hill roses. Lawrence E. Taylor was best man.

After a wedding dinner for immediate members of the family, the happy couple left on a motor trip to Detroit, and on their return will reside at 32 Niagara St., Newmarket.

For travelling the bride wore an Oxford gray suit with sable jacket and black accessories.

VETERANS-NET OVER  
\$100 ON POPPY DAY

The Newmarket Veterans' Association, Corps Unit 110, once again wish to tender a hearty vote of thanks to the citizens of Newmarket and residents of the vicinity for the generous response on poppy day. The sum of \$150 was collected by the able taggers under the sponsorship of Mrs. M. B. Seldon, to whom the veterans are indebted for her generous services. They are indebted also to Comrade Fred Cass and Mrs. Cass, who supervised the taggers, and to Miss Bertha Neilly.

"We wish to especially thank all the girls who partook in the poppy day tagging, also Comrades Alfred Skelton and Harvey McCormick, who rendered valuable service," S. J. Brice, secretary of the veterans, told The Era.

"Lest we forget, we wish to say thanks to Tuscan lodge for the warm reception tendered to the veterans of Newmarket and district."

"We extend our thanks to the O.C.'s of the Toronto Scottish, Royal Regiment of Canada, C.A.S.C., 1 M.T.V.D., and 15th General Hospital unit for granting special leave of absence to the men of Newmarket, who are serving in those regiments, and compliment them on their efficiency."

"The president and executive wish to thank the Citizens' Band, the Bugle Band, fire brigade, Adjutant Sid Boulton and Mrs. Boulton, and members of the Salvation Army, also Major Robt. Morrison and Mrs. Morrison, of Toronto, and all veterans of Newmarket who turned out on all occasions, making Remembrance Day a 100 per cent. success."

Thanks are extended to Aurora, Mount Albert, Queensville and Sharon veterans and Mrs. T. Gilles and her son for their kind cooperation. The net proceeds from the Poppy Day fund are \$104.62. Expenses were \$45.39.

Era printers take pride in their workmanship.

WILL HEAR INTERESTING  
CONFERENCE SPEAKERS

The West York Denary council of the Anglican Young People's Association will hold a one-day conference at St. Paul's church, Newmarket, on Saturday, Nov. 18. Starting at 9 a.m. with holy communion, the sessions will last all day, and will include addresses by leaders in church activities, and discussion groups on various subjects of interest to Christian young people.

Among the speakers will be Rev. Dr. W. C. Lockhart, of the University of Toronto, and Jim George, of Toronto, both of whom attended the world conference of Christian Youth in Amsterdam last summer.

A. H. Cuttle, finance commissioner of the diocese of Toronto, will discuss the business of the church, and leaders in the dominion and provincial councils of the A.Y.P.A. will also take part.

Recreation will also have its part in the program, with periods of games and songs, led by able leaders, so that an interesting day is promised all who attend all or part of the sessions.

MUSICAL APPRECIATION IN  
THE SCHOOL IS SUBJECT

The Newmarket Home and School Association asks the general public to reserve Tuesday evening, Nov. 28, when the regular monthly meeting will be held at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

Etore Mazzoleni, of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, will be guest speaker. His subject, "Musical appreciation in the school," will be of great interest to all.

Mr. Mazzoleni will also play. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

## CHURCHES

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Main at Queen St., Newmarket  
Evangelistic services close Sunday night.

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REV. H. V. MUXWORTHY, Pastor

**FREE METHODIST CHURCH**  
Special revival meetings will begin in the Free Methodist church, Newmarket, on Tuesday evening, Nov. 21.

Miss E. Mainprize, of Campbellford, Ont., will be the evangelist. Come and bring your friends. Service each night, except Monday and Saturday.

**REV. B. BABCOOK, Local Pastor**

**THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Pastor, Rev. Arthur Greer  
Sunday, Nov. 19, 1939  
Morning Subject—PEACE WITHIN.  
Evening Subject—WAR WITHOUT  
Sunday-school classes for all ages at 2.30 p.m.

Note: IT IS ONLY AS WE POSSESS "PEACE WITHIN," THAT WE CAN SUCCESSFULLY WAGE A "WAR WITHOUT."

HOLD LUCKY TICKETS  
AT FIREMEN'S DANCE

A good crowd attended the firemen's dance on Friday night. Max Boag and his orchestra were in attendance.

Winners of the prize draws were: 1st, turkey, Fred Lundy, No. 1726; 2nd, turkey, Ross Mitchell, No. 874; 3rd, turkey, D. Weir, No. 722; goose, R. LeGresley, No. 1889; pig chickens, J. McCarnan, No. 1920; pig chickens, A. Dobbie, No. 1090.

Y.P.S. WILL HAVE  
CHARGE OF SERVICE

The services in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening, Nov. 19, will be conducted by the Young People's Society. Douglas Seaton, of Toronto, president of the Presbyterian Young People's society, will give the address.

There will be special music for the occasion. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

EVANGELINE AUXILIARY  
HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

The regular meeting of the Evangeline auxiliary of the W.M.S. was held Monday evening in Trinity United church.

The devotional period was taken by the west group, under the leadership of Miss Bertha Neilly.

A chapter of the study book, "Moving Millions," by Bishop Pickett, was taken by Miss Florence Cole and Mrs. S. W. King. This chapter gives a very stirring account of the mass movements among the Untouchables and depressed classes in India.

Mrs. L. Little sang a very appropriate solo. The president, Mrs. King, gave a very interesting talk on the constitution of the evening auxiliary. Tea was served at the close.

## In Memoriam

Graves—In loving memory of a dear mother, Rosie Emma Graves, who was called away Nov. 18, 1937.

Two years have gone, how swift time flies.  
But love's sweet memory never dies;  
A day of remembrance sad to recall,  
The loss of a mother, best friend of all.  
Ever remembered by son, Delbert, and wife.

Hattie—In memory of our dear father, William Hattie, who, one year ago, passed from us to a happier home for him.

My heart is filled with sadness  
When your face, back home, I see  
No more  
But I know we'll meet in gladness  
On Heaven's bright and shining shore.

Ever remembered by daughter, Dora, of Sudbury.

Hattie—Resounding echoes, and lines to father, William Hattie, on behalf of our dear sister, Carrie, who just a few weeks later, departed from our midst.

"I just can't live without him."  
I often wonder did he know  
That she too, so soon, might go  
To help him some, "parchance beyond."

He was not strong enough to meet  
The task her dear heart bled to do.  
Looks like the "Saviour swung that gate"

And hid them both pass through.

How very merciful, and kind  
Our aged father was not left to bear  
The sorrow of his passing child.  
To whom he turned so oft for care.

"Tis not, we ever more should grieve  
Our lives could be but agony.  
Far greater joys, "if we believe"  
Beyond that "Cross of Calvary."

Never forgotten by sister, Dora.

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**LOST**  
Lost—Two yearling heifers, one blue and one red and white. Strayed from lot 21, con. 6, East Gwillimbury. Please notify M. Rutledge, Holt, Ont. \*2w11

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
Subscriptions—Taken for all kinds of magazines. Gift orders taken now. Margaret Robinson, Phone 142. \*c3w11

## TALENT WANTED

Wanted—Amateur talent for amateur night in Uxbridge, Dec. 1, 1939. Apply to Walter Tunstall, Sec. Uxbridge Board of Trade, on or before Nov. 25, 1939. \*2w40

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## SALE REGISTER

Tuesday, Nov. 21—Auction sale of farm stock, implements and household effects, the property of George W. White, will be held on Lots 29 and 30, Con. 3, East Gwillimbury, 2 1/2 miles north of Queensville, on the highway. Sale at 12 noon sharp. Terms cash. John W. Grant, clerk, Frank Kavanagh, auctioneer. No reserve as the farm has been sold.

## WEDDING

**GIBSON - EMOND**  
On Saturday, Nov. 11, at New Toronto, by Rev. G. B. Williams, Frances Kathaleen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Emond of New Toronto, to John G. Gibson, son of Mr. James Gibson, and the late Mrs. Gibson of Newmarket.

## BIRTHS

Best—At Wellsee hospital, Toronto, Sunday, Nov. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Chester Best, Newmarket, a son, John Kyle.

Walte—At York county hospital, Nov. 11, to Mr. and Mrs. William Walte, Aurora, a daughter.

Watson—At York county hospital, Nov. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Watson, Queensville, a son.

## DEATHS

Armitage—At Unity hospital, Sask., on Oct. 28, 1939, Walter Joseph Armitage, son of the late Lewis and Isabel Armitage of Newmarket, in his 69th year.

Dutcher—On Monday, Nov. 13, at the Wellsee hospital, Toronto, Preston Norval Dutcher, 288 Sutherland Drive, Leaside, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dutcher, Kettleby, and husband of Violet Hanna and father of Anita Dutcher, in his 52nd year.

The funeral service was held on Wednesday afternoon. Interment Richmond Hill.

Doubtfire—At Bolton, on Saturday, Nov. 11, Rachel H. Doubtfire, mother of Mrs. Ed. Cole, Aurora, in her 82nd year.

The funeral service was held at Bolton on Monday, Interment Lauret cemetery, Bolton.

Lunney—Suddenly at her home, Zephyr, Ont., Nov. 9, Martha LeVina Clark, wife of Richard Lunney and mother of Mrs. C. Pickering, Mrs. William Dunn, Muriel, Helen, Mildred, Chesley and Stanley, in her 50th year.

The funeral service was held from her late home on Sunday afternoon. Interment Mount Pleasant cemetery, Zephyr.

Mainprize—Suddenly at St. Joseph's hospital, at Parry Sound, on Friday, Nov. 10, Milton Mainprize, husband of Eliza Shaw, and father of Lorne M. of Toronto (manager of Mount Albert telephone company). Public service was held in Mount Albert United church Monday afternoon. Interment in Mount Albert cemetery.

Underhill—At St. Michael's hospital, on Sunday, Nov. 12, Eugene Underhill, D. D. S., L. D. S., husband of Elma Naylor, father of Carol and Eugene, in his 42nd year.

The funeral service was held at Aurora United church on Tuesday. Interment Aurora cemetery.

## BOARDSERS WANTED

Boardsers Wanted—Comfortable, quiet home. All conveniences. Phone 620 or apply Era box 162. \*c2w11

## WANTED TO RENT

Wanted—Three or four-room apartment. Phone 12. \*c2w11

## STRAYED

Strayed—On Lot 29, Con. 8, East Gwillimbury, three cattle. Owner may have same by paying for advertisement and damage. Apply to Mrs. Lloyd Prosser, Mount Albert, Ont., R. R. 1. \*c3w39

## LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—Litter of pigs, six weeks old. Alfred McNeill, R. R. 1, Queensville. \*2w11

For sale—A number of young pigs. Apply to George Paxton, Kettleby. \*1w11

For sale—Purchased Yorkshire sows. Registered. Phone Newmarket 467w11. \*c1w11

For sale—Nine well bred Oxford ewe lambs. Also a quantity of cedar fence posts. Walter Warren, Mount Albert. \*1w11

For sale—Yorkshire boar, 15 months old, or will exchange for young sow. Guaranteed good stocker. Also 7 chunks, Robert Johnson, R. R. 1, Queensville. \*1w11

For sale—Weanling pigs, Yorkshires, \$12 pair or \$50 for litter of ten, ready delivery Friday. J. J. McChab, R. R. 2, Newmarket. \*1w11

For sale—A carload of young hares, matched greys, blacks and chestnuts. Adrian Bateman, Bradford, or phone 7841, Bradford. \*c3w39

## HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Capable girl for cooking and housework. Apply Mrs. J. C. R. Edwards, 107 Main St. \*c1w11

Help wanted—Immediately. Experienced, healthy, clean girl for housework. No washing. Phone 2w12. \*c1w11

## WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Young woman needs work. Will mind children afternoon or evening. Willing to do light housework. Phone 686, Newmarket. \*1w11

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AURORA REINS

### PLAY S. P. A. FRIDAY

Ellis Pringle, of Bradford, will coach the Aurora Junior hockey club this season, according to a statement released by club officials.

Pringle, in his debut as coach, should prove a decided success if personality and playing experience count for anything. Pringle, it will be remembered, was a star for several seasons in junior hockey with the famed Newmarket Redmen, which included Bill Thoms, Dodge Collings, Herb Cain and other luminaries on their lineup back in 1927 and 1928.

The following season he played with Marlboros and later turned professional under the wing of the New York Americans, alternating back and forth between the N.H.L. and the minor leagues. He saw active service with New Haven, Springfield, Windsor and Philadelphia and also performed in the western pro loop.

Pringle had charge of the team at a practice held at Ravina Gardens, Toronto, last night and he sent the boys through a rousing one hour and a half of practice.

Tomorrow evening at 7.30 the local team takes the ice at the Maple Leaf Gardens in the opening game of the S.P.A. series against the Galt Terrier Pups, coached by Mickey Murray. Coach

### WHAT COUNCIL DID MONDAY, TUESDAY

1. Received notice from Dr. G. A. C. Guntion that he was appealing the verdict of the court of revision. Council instructed the clerk to follow necessary procedure.
2. Referred applications of R. Bennett and H. B. Neely, re position of ticket seller at arena, to the property committee.
3. Referred application of the proprietor of Dick's Lunch for booth concession rights at the arena to the property committee.
4. Denied liability in the complaint filed by H. Armistage re destruction of his property on Halloween.
5. Took no further action in regard to the request of the C. W. Mulloy and J. Banbury re trees at rear of their premises, confirming previous decision made in spring.
6. Left over for consideration until spring the application of A. M. Kirkwood for the removal of two trees in front of his residence on Yonge St.
7. Left over the application of J. Bodfish for electric lights on the "Whitmore" farm.
8. Discussed the disposition of the property and the affairs of the company with Messrs. Bazley and Bruce of Dehydrating Processes Ltd., and appointed a committee of Messrs. Walton, Farr, Stuart and Sparks to meet company officials on Nov. 27.
9. Set a charge of \$1.50 per night for use of Mechanics' hall by Aurora fire brigade each week.
10. Transferred \$3,000 from waterworks fund to the general fund.
11. Voted a bonus of \$25 to Ray Rowling to meet unforeseen increase in rental charge made to Rowling by the owner of the dumping ground. Learned a definite agreement had now been reached between the parties.
12. Passed a new milk inspection bylaw similar to that in use in Newmarket.
13. Deferred appointment of a milk inspector at the Tuesday meeting until next meeting, two members of council being away.
14. Passed bylaw to cover persons not coming under the Transient Traders' bylaw who commence a new business in any year after the assessment roll has closed.
15. Instructed clerk to request assessor to set an assessment on a new business recently opened in town.
16. Gave two readings to a bylaw to be referred to the department of municipal affairs, whereby debentures for \$1,000 at 4 1/2 per cent. would be issued to cover permanent improvement to high school, balance left outstanding.
17. Instructed chairman of relief committee to deal with certain problems re fuel and special cases considered.
18. Left for another meeting the approval of the auditor's statement, police car allowances, registry office abstracts.
19. Instructed clerk to purchase 400 feet of snow fencing for use on Kennedy St.
20. Took no action in view of lack of a quorum of council late Tuesday regarding a motion of Councillors Sparks and Wilson

### TAGGERS DO WELL

The Poppy Day taggers, under the capable direction of Mrs. Gordon Baldwin, collected nearly \$15 for the Aurora branch of the Great War Veterans. Officials of the returned men's association were warm in their praise of the work of the taggers.

### HELP RED CROSS

The local branch of the Red Cross added \$78 to its coffers last week as the result of the bridge held by the Aurora Liberal Women's Association and the midnight theatre party held Nov. 10 at the Royal theatre.

Pringle does not expect too much from his proteges so far as this game is concerned, as the Galt boys have been practising on artificial ice in their own arena for nearly a month and should be in top condition, while the Aurora boys will be taking the ice for the third time this season.

With so many new players on hand it will take several weeks before the coach can separate the wheat from the chaff. The team will be picked from the following players, with 17 in action: Joe Tunney, Joe McGhee, F. Michanuk, E. McComb, J. Cummings, P. Donkin, P. Knowles, R. Lloyd, W. Thompson, H. Folliott, H. Pugh, G. Fanning, D. Wilcox, J. Sisman, D. Murray, H. Brown, J. Cook, H. Pierce, O. Johnston, J. Young, B. Rawlings, G. Brennan, J. Lowe, D. Rawlings, F. Armstrong.

### HUNTER TAKEN ILL AT PARRY SOUND

William Atkinson, well-known resident of Whitchurch township and formerly of Aurora, was suddenly taken ill while on a hunting trip with Joseph Mitchell's hunting party in the Parry Sound district. He was rushed to Parry Sound hospital for treatment, but recovered sufficiently to return with his companions to Aurora. He is at present recuperating at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Leon Holman, Wells St.

### VANDORF GIRL WEDS AURORA MAN

A pretty wedding took place on Saturday evening at the rectory, Trinity Anglican church, Aurora, when Minnie Isabel Ireland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Ireland, Vandorf, became the bride of Gordon Wilcox, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcox, Tyler St., Aurora.

The bride, who was attired in a wine-colored ensemble, with hat to match, was attended by Mrs. Allen Day of Aurora. Mr. Allen Day was groomsmen. Rev. G. O. Lightbourn performed the ceremony.

A reception and wedding supper were held at the home of the groom's parents, following the ceremony, with 55 guests in attendance. They will reside on Tyler St., Aurora.

### CHAIRMAN CELEBRATES ONE OF HIS BIRTHDAYS

Nov. 10 marked two special occasions in the life of Aurora public school. The annual school concert went over the top in grand style and some \$80 was raised for school purposes, and Dr. C. J. Devins, chairman of the school board, celebrated his birthday. The genial doctor was greeted lustily by his youthful admirers when he took the platform, and from the back of the hall the spontaneous singing of "Happy Birthday" swept throughout the whole hall.

### IS INJURED

While engaged at his work at Cousins Dairy last week, Frank Hutchinson, Mosely St., had the misfortune to suffer a broken toe as the result of material dropping on his foot.

### PUBLIC SCHOOL BEATS HIGH AT SOCCER

Public school players, garbed in their new blue and red sweaters, defeated Aurora high school first formers 2-1 in their annual soccer match held Wednesday afternoon. "Mickey" Sutton and Jim Finnison scored for the public school, while "Flash" Donlitt was responsible for the senior school's lone goal. Delroy Babcock handled the game.

to elect Councillor E. J. Henderson to act in the capacity of reeve for the town of Aurora at the last session of York county council this year. Adjourned on this point until the call of the mayor.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Eileen Gardiner of Bradford spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grice.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hacking of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. R. Hacking, Metcalfe St.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Osborne motored to Lindsay on Sunday. Mrs. A. Grieves, who has been visiting her daughter there, returned with them.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Rank motored to Waukegan on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. B. VanLoon and son, Bill, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Davis.

Lieutenant Hugh Conn of Kingston, accompanied by his aunt and cousin, called at the Graham home, Centre St., on Sunday.

Miss Ethel Graham of Toronto spent the weekend with relatives in town.

Miss Marion Thompson, who is attending the Ontario Ladies' College at Whitby, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Thompson, Wells St.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Swerfeger, of Guelph, former Aurora residents, were in town on Sunday.

Mr. John Mitchell, Wellington St., is on holiday at Parry Sound. Mr. J. W. Knowles spent Sunday in Toronto visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith, Wellington St., attended the funeral of Mrs. Smith's sister-in-law, the late Mrs. Richard Lunney, at Zenhyr on Tuesday.

Mrs. D. H. Clark, Newmarket, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Charles Dunham, Wellington St.

Mr. Morgan Baker, M.L.A., was in town on Saturday afternoon. Among those from Aurora attending the annual "At Home" of St. Andrew's College held last week were Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Rounding, Miss Ruth Goodman, Miss Christina Kirkwood, Mr. Harry Fry, and Mrs. Vaughan Williams.

Mr. Keith Nesbitt, of the Bank of Montreal staff at Little Current, Manitoulin Island, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Nesbitt, Yonge St. south.

Mrs. Edna Dupuy of Toronto spent Friday with Mrs. Raymond Rowling, Wellington St.

Following the public school concert last Thursday, Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Devins entertained the staff. Guests included Principal J. G. McDonald and Mrs. McDonald, Miss Margaret McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Delroy Babcock, Mr. Donald Webster and Misses Mabel Channell, Helen Boynton, Marjorie Malloy, Helen Pearson, Isabel Hayes and Constance Willis.

Pte. Wilkie Fleury of the 48th Highlanders and Mrs. Fleury spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Fleury, Metcalfe St.

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Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hamer, Mrs. Annie Walton, Mrs. J. James and Mr. J. M. Walton were among the Aurora people who attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Morley Proctor last Thursday.

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### OPENS NEW STORE

Max Cameron, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cameron, Wellington St., who is a former manager of the A & P store at Newmarket, is the new manager of the modern grocery store which the Aurora General Store is opening.

### TELLS OF WEST

Roland Hill, Aurora boy who is now attending Wycliffe College, and who for the past two summers has been engaged in missionary work in northern Alberta, gave an illustrated lecture to the members of Trinity church A.Y.P.A. on Monday evening on the missions of northern Alberta.

Donald Glass, immediate past president of the association, was presented by President Reg. Southwood with a past president's pin.

### RECALL 1918

Aurora Citizens' Band took part in the Remembrance Day service held by King Township War Veterans at Schomberg on Sunday.

## Impressive Service Marks Nov. 11, Business Stops

SIR WILLIAM MULOCK  
TAKES SALUTE AS VETERANS MARCH

The Remembrance Day service held in Mechanics' hall on Saturday was one of the most impressive and dignified services ever to be held in town. Veterans from all parts of York county assembled in the town park and, headed by the Aurora Boys' band and the Richmond Hill bugle band, marched to the hall. Mayor J. M. Walton presided over the gathering.

Seated on the platform were W. P. Mulock, M.P., Reeve Earl Toole, Whitchurch, Reeve J. A. Greene, Richmond Hill, Revs. T. R. White, G. O. Lightbourn, A. R. Park, E. J. Thompson and K. McCreary, Lt. Ostyryk, S.A., and Major Arthur Condie, V.D.

At 11 a.m. lights were dimmed, and voices were hushed as the Last Post was sounded. In the distance could be heard the mournful whistles of the local factories, which observed two minutes silence.

Following the ceremony, headed by the Richmond Hill band, the veterans marched to the cenotaph, where wreaths were placed by Mrs. J. Peterman of Aurora, Reeve Earl Toole, and Deputy Reeve L. Goodfellow on behalf of the respective municipalities of Aurora, Whitchurch and King. On the return to Aurora Sir Wm. Mulock took the salute at the post office. Throughout the whole proceedings places of business remained closed.

## KESWICK LADY HURT WHEN CARS COLLIDE

While proceeding north on Yonge St., opposite station C.F.R.B., on Sunday evening, a car driven by William Vail of Keswick struck the rear end of a car driven by Frank Williamson of Newmarket. Mrs. Vail, who was accompanying her husband, was taken to Dr. C. R. Boulding's office suffering from minor bruises and cuts. Fortunately, no other persons were injured, nor was a great deal of damage done to either car. Traffic Officer Jackman of Richmond Hill investigated.

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### BON MOTS

Gar Preston is with the already favorites for the Allan Cup, Kirkland Lake Blue Devils. Last year he was with Tournais seniors in the same loop, and while Bill Brydges' team is well stocked with experienced players, if Gar hears down he will make them all hustle. Incidentally, girls, he's married now.

Dutch Cain, who was a star here in Metropolitan days, is on the list of officials picked for senior whistle-blowing. Here is one arbiter we would like to see in action locally, and not a few of the oldsters would be on hand to give him a hand.

Joe McGhee is out for the goal-keeping job on the local junior team. This is the redhead's last year in the age series, and we believe this is his year.

Jack Purcell, the badminton ace, is master of ceremonies on a

### REGULAR EUCBRE HELD

The regular L. O. B. A. eucbre was held on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Robert Hodgkinson, Wellington St. The eucbre was originally scheduled for the home of Mrs. J. Maaten but was transferred out of respect for the family of the late Dr. E. V. Underhill.

Prize-winners were: Mrs. Frank Heaney, Mrs. Wm. Boaks, Miss A. Gillespie, Mrs. Claude White, I. Heacock and B. Price of Newmarket. The next eucbre will be held on Monday, Nov. 27, at the home of Mrs. J. Maaten.

## HOLD BOWLING PARTY AND DINNER IN CITY

A mixed gathering of some 66 persons, members and guests of Dr. E. J. Thompson's Bible class, journeyed to Toronto for their annual bowling tournament, last Friday evening.

Although the majority of the party had not been on an alley for nearly a year, some excellent scores were turned in, with H. C. Summers winning top honors for the men and Mrs. Lorne Cousins taking the prize in the ladies' section.

After a hurried decision of the judges, consolation awards were finally made to Mrs. D. A. Wilson and Ed. Johnston. The bowlers adjourned for dinner following their strenuous efforts of the evening.

## MOTHER OF AURORA WOMAN DIES AT 81

The death occurred on Saturday, Nov. 11, at Bolton, of Rachel Helen Doubtfire, widow of Robert Doubtfire, and mother of Mrs. Edward Cole, Centre St., Aurora.

The deceased was in her 82nd year, being born at Shadwell in the county of Middlesex, England. She came to Canada with her son and two daughters in 1895, two of her children predeceasing her.

She lived in Bolton for nearly 25 years, but had spent most of the last two years in Aurora. She was buried under the rites of the Anglican church, of which she was a life-long member, at Laurel Hill cemetery, Bolton.

### AUXILIARY MEETS

On Monday evening the Young Women's Auxiliary of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Gould, Lepper St. Miss L. McDonald, the president, presided. Following a heavy business agenda readings were given by Mrs. Gould and Mrs. W. J. Thomson. Dec. 9 was set as the date for the annual towel and apron shower, while the next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Miss M. Malloy, Wells St.

Among those attending the service were Dr. G. V. Morton, president of the Ontario Dental Association, Dr. E. T. Guest, secretary of the association, W. P. Mulock, M.P., Morgan Baker, M. L.A., Dr. H. B. Spaulding, of Erie, Penn., Dr. Harold Leary, Sutton, Ross Underhill, Barrie, Dr. J. Crawford, J. A. Butler, Ford M. Butler, Ford Butler, Jr., Frank Cole, and W. B. Any, all of Toronto, ex-Wardens J. O. Little, Newmarket, Wm. Bros. Wm. Barker, King, Carl Swanson, Richmond Lodge, and Bert Hughes, Tuscan Lodge, the mayor, council, public and high school boards of the town of Aurora.

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## DR. UNDERHILL, ATHLETE, DIES

OUTSTANDING CITIZEN.  
MEMBER OF SCHOOL BOARD, DIES

Aurora mourns the loss this week of one of its most outstanding personalities, Dr. Eugene V. Underhill, D.D.S., L.D.S., who died early Sunday morning at St. Michael's hospital, Toronto, following two serious operations.

The deceased was in his 41st year, and was born at Claremont, coming to Aurora with his family about 35 years ago. He was educated at Aurora public and high schools, and in 1922 he graduated from the Royal College of Dental Surgeons.

Upon graduation he opened an office here in his home town, and remained in practice here until the time of his death.

On February 14, 1916, at the age of 17, while still at high school, in company with three schoolmates, he enlisted with the signal corps, then a part of the Royal Canadian Engineers. At Ottawa he was seized with an illness and was subsequently discharged from active service owing to his physical condition.

"Gene" was one of the greatest athletes ever developed locally. He was a member of the great post-war junior lacrosse team which lost to Toronto Beanches in the finals. He played hockey and baseball with the Aurora teams for many years and always played the game cleanly and in an unselfish manner. At university he won his "D" and his faculty "D" letters in soccer, and was captain of the university eleven one year. He was also a prominent member of the Aurora Golf club.

In 1927 he was elected a member of the town council. He was returned to office again in 1928 and 1929. In 1930 he unsuccessfully contested the office of mayor, being defeated by the late S. C. Taylor by a small margin.

In 1931 he was appointed one of the Aurora high school board, which office he held until this year. He provided a general proficiency prize for his old school for the past six years.

He was a member of United Empire L.O.L. 68 and Aurora Lodge No. 148, L.O.O.F. In 1932 he was master of Rising Sun Masonic lodge, and was also past principal of the Aurora lodge of Royal Arch Masons. This year he was a grand steward of the Provincial Royal Arch chapter.

He was a member of Aurora United church, and for many years served as a member of the Board of Stewards.

In 1927 he



## SCHOMBERG

SOFTBALL CHAMPIONS  
ARE PLANNING SUPPER

The local deer hunters have been in the northern bush for a week on their annual hunting expedition.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Marchant and daughters, Shirley and Helen, of Weston, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. Marchant.

Mr. Harry Kay has been home on a two weeks' leave from Trenton training camp of the R. C. A. F. He has attained the rank of instructor, and his many friends congratulate him on his fine soldierly bearing.

Mrs. J. Foster spent the week-end with her daughter, Miss Agnes Foster, R. N., of Orillia. The annual old English dinner sponsored by the Women's Guild of the Anglican church was held on Wednesday evening, Nov. 8, in the church basement. A splendid crowd turned out to partake of roast beef with all the trimmings and plum pudding. The supper was followed by a play, "Home Town Girl," put on very creditably by the Nobleton young people.

The Women's Institute held its November meeting on Thursday afternoon in the club room with Bond Head W. L. as guests. Following the business session conducted by Mrs. E. J. Pearson, the chair was taken by Mrs. Bradley of Bond Head.

The program opened with the Maple Leaf and roll call was answered by each lady giving her maiden name in full. This was followed by an interesting talk by Mrs. Broderick, on some trips she had taken in northern and eastern Ontario.

Miss Helen Richardson gave an instrumental on the piano. A humorous reading by Mrs. Gould was much appreciated. The ladies then joined in a sing-song, and the last number was a historical talk by Mrs. Watson, on Bond Head and district.

Mrs. Sutherland conducted an amusing contest, which was won by Mrs. Lister. After "God Save the King," the Schomberg W. I.

directors served a very dainty and substantial tea.

A very impressive service of remembrance was held on Sunday morning at 11.15 in the town hall. The hall was well filled and a large body of veterans from the vicinity marched together.

The local clergy conducted the service with Miss M. Lloyd at the piano. Rev. W. J. Burton of Kettleby, and also a veteran, gave splendid addresses. Following the service the veterans, led by a pipe band, marched to the cenotaph.

The school children paraded after the veterans. Wreaths were laid and the "Last Post" and "Reveille" sounded. Rev. F. V. Abbott and Rev. Mr. McEwen read prayers and scripture. Then all stood at attention for the national anthem.

The softball club, which achieved honor as the winners of the rural Ontario intermediate championship, are planning a supper, to be held in the town hall on Nov. 22, and are hoping their many friends will be on hand to swell the crowd and the pocket book.

SNOWBALL  
CELEBRATE 46TH  
WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The Snowball Women's Institute is sponsoring glove-making classes under the capable leadership of Mrs. C. Reddick. A very interesting and worth-while social time is expected.

The Snowball W. A. is holding its annual bazaar on Thursday, Dec. 7, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Storey.

Messrs. Robert Case, Stuart Mills and Austin Oliver spent Sunday in Toronto.

Miss Olive Lloyd of Mount Albert spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Davison.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stonehouse of Schomberg spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Den Shropshire.

The many friends of newlywed Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Wood greeted them with a bang last Thursday evening, proving that the old charivari custom has not been abandoned.

The Snowball Y. P. S. will be held at Mr. Clifford Copson's on Thursday evening, Nov. 16.

The Snowball W. A. and W. M. S. was held at Mrs. Wm. Farren's home on Nov. 8, the day being Mr. and Mrs. Farren's 46th wedding anniversary.

The Snowball crowd presented Mrs. Farren with a beautiful plant, while the members of the King branch, among whom she is well known, sent her a lovely bouquet of 'mums.

## Pottageville

The Y. P. U. held its regular meeting last Wednesday. The scripture lesson was read by Ed. Houghton. A reading was given by Miss Effie Dove and Miss V. Allen, president, took the topic. The evening closed after the recreation.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Emmerson and sons, Donald and Kenneth, of Nobleton, spent Sunday with Mrs. Emmerson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan. Emmerson.

Miss Elsie Houghton spent Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Angus and Miss Betty Weedon of Toronto visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Weedon on Sunday.

Lieut. S. F. Williams of the Toronto Scottish, Toronto, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Williams of Pottageville.

Nurse Williams is attending Mrs. Henry Wilson for a few days.

## Pleasantville

Mr. Ronald Hawtin of Ottawa spent the weekend with his mother and grandmother, Mrs. E. Hawtin and Mrs. M. F. Starr.

Mrs. Gordon McClure spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. C. Moore, Mrs. McClure returning home on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Moore, also her uncle, Mr. Robert Campbell of Toronto.

Misses Florence Tucker and Frances Stickwood spent Tuesday in Toronto on a shopping tour.

Reeve Earl Toole is in Toronto this week attending county council.

Mrs. John McClure had, for Thursday dinner guests last week, Mrs. M. F. Starr and Mrs. R. Hawtin.

The Junior girls' home-making club will meet this Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Lorraine Penrose.

Bogartown club supper and play at the schoolhouse is being held on Friday, Nov. 24. Everybody is welcome. There is a moderate charge for a good supper, also a two-act play by local talent.

Last Friday night the election of officers took place at the club meeting. Francis Starr was re-elected again for president, Frances Stickwood as secretary and assistant secretary, Dora McClure. The treasurer is Josh. Stickwood.

After a social evening two gallons of ice cream were enjoyed by all present.

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## EVERSLEY

YOUNG PEOPLE START  
ON WINTER PROGRAM

Mrs. Charles Cohen is home again, and is much improved in health. Mr. Arthur Stong of Downsview, Misses Annie and Ethel Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ferguson, of Maple Ave. Farm, visited friends in Widdville on Sunday.

There was no service in Eversley Presbyterian church on Sunday, as anniversary services were held in the 10th line church. Rev. J. D. Cunningham of Richmond Hill was the preacher in the morning, with the choir of the church. It was a good service.

In the evening, Rev. Mr. Mills of High Park Presbyterian church, Toronto, was the preacher. Rev. M. E. Burch took the morning service at Richmond Hill and the evening service at High Park, and visited his father, Rev. Dr. Burch, who is seriously ill with a severe heart condition.

Miss A. A. Ferguson represented Eversley congregation at the 10th line service on Sunday.

Mrs. Gellatly and Miss Jessie spent Sunday in Toronto. Mr. Ernest Gellatly brought his wife and infant son home from the hospital. The Gellatly family is growing. Recently a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gellatly, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Alan Gellatly and now a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gellatly.

Eversley Young People began their regular series of winter services on Monday night, meeting at Mr. James Wells' house. The new president, Miss Marie Ball, presided.

Mrs. Josie Wells read the Scripture. Readings were given by Misses Annie Ferguson, Jessie Gellatly and Edith Bovall, and Miss Ethel Ferguson sang a solo. Mr. Lloyd Thompson contributed a mouth organ selection and Rev. M. E. Burch gave a talk.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Allison of Temperanceville was held in Eversley Presbyterian church last Wednesday afternoon. The church was filled with a sympathetic crowd of friends, who lamented the early passing at 26 years of age, of this good mother of three small children. Great sympathy is felt for the bereaved husband and family.

## THE CHRYSANTHEMUMS

Your ragged beauty charms my eye;  
Chrysanthemum.

You hold our tousing head so high  
Chrysanthemum.

Have you been rousing with the wind  
And left your hairpins all behind,  
Or do you mean to be unkempt?  
Chrysanthemum.

Shake back those locks and show your face  
Chrysanthemum.

I long its beauteous lines to trace.  
Chrysanthemum.

Thou expert of the coquette's art,  
Thy glorious rays have pierced my heart,  
And pierced as with Cupid's darts.  
Chrysanthemum.

I thought that summer's bloom had passed,  
Chrysanthemum.

But like good wine she kept you last;  
Chrysanthemum.

And when November's storm clouds lowered,  
The sun this wealth of beauty showered,  
And laughed as he the earth embowered  
Chrysanthemum.

But yet you shake your saucy head;  
Chrysanthemum.

You who on sunbeams bright are fed,  
Chrysanthemum.

Thou glorious link 'twixt summer skies,  
And winter's white robed beauty lies  
To us a glimpse of paradise,  
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imately \$30,000. Mr. James is well known in this community and his great loss is felt very keenly by his friends here.

## Glenville

Mr. and Mrs. A. Flannigan and Mr. and Mrs. Boitum Flannigan spent Sunday at Mr. T. F. Webster's.

Mrs. Robert Loughheed of Thornbury is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Aubrey Doan.

Mrs. Edwards of Aurora is spending some time at the home of her son, Mr. Arthur Edwards, who is laid up with a swollen knee. All hope he will soon be able to be around again.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Somerville were called to Toronto Friday morning owing to the death of Mrs. Somerville's father, Mr. Ramsdon. Mr. Ramsdon was well known in Glenville, having spent several summers here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Keffer and family spent Sunday at Mr. Wm. Keffer's.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Shaw and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Faris spent Sunday at the Wray home.

The Y.P.U. were entertained at the parsonage by the Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Burton last Tuesday night.

Mr. Owen Barr of Snowball was in charge of the service at Glenville United church last Sunday morning. Rev. Mr. Burton had charge of an armistice day service in Schomberg.

Mrs. Wm. Gould spent a few days visiting in Schomberg last week.

WHITCHURCH TOWNSHIP  
DOGS KILL TWO  
PICKERING SHEEP

Six hundred farm owners have taken advantage of the offer made last summer by the county agricultural representative at Newmarket to test soil for them in a scientific way. It was disclosed before the November meeting of Whitechurch township council on Saturday.

Those farmers who still have containers may yet avail themselves of the offer. Mr. Cockburn reports, by leaving samples with any councillor or the reeve. No expense is entailed and valuable information is obtained, chief of which is just what the particular soil lacks to give maximum production. The fact that fertilizer produces increased production is no longer refuted, but the type of fertilizer needed can only be known by soil-testing.

Saturday's session of council was not productive of any real news, and business was light. Two small sheep claims indicated that mutton-eating dogs are at large. Pickering college farm, through S. W. King, manager, made claim for two animals killed and two injured and received \$30.40. Morley Cook

lost three killed by dogs and was compensated to the extent of \$27.

Because the road expenditures have been so well kept within the estimates, council was disposed to double its order for snow fencing, and will place in use this year 3,000 feet of new fence, instead of 3,000 previously decided on. Prices will be upward in a few weeks, it was stated.

The regular December meeting of council was set for the first Saturday in December instead of the usual date of the second Saturday. All parties having business to transact are requested to keep this intimation in mind.

The statutory by-law providing polling-places, deputy returning officers and poll-clerks was given its several readings and passed. The polling-places and presiding officers will be as follows in event an election is demanded:

Div. 1, W. Browning's house, Russell Brewery, D.R.O., Chas. Bowser, poll clerk; div. 2, R. Allin's house, C. Bolander and C. Atkinson; div. 3, Orville Brewery's house, Stewart Rae and Elmer Wells; div. 4, Mrs. Henry Smith's house, H. H. Mitchell and C. Lemon; div. 5, Mrs. Brown's house, F. Drewery and Lambert Wilson; div. 6, Mrs. Gordon McClure's house, D. McClure and Geo. Richardson; div. 7, Mrs. Fogal's house, Ed. Johnston and H. McClure; div. 8, Geo. McCormack's house, John Mitchell and Wm. Card.

Road accounts passed for payment were: div. 9, \$17.85; div. 5, \$7.50; div. 28, \$33; div. 7, \$15.40; div. 17, \$17; div. 30, \$17.40; div. 6, \$17; div. 25, \$34.90; div. 10, \$18; div. 15, \$13.35; div. 6, \$27.90; div. 8, \$25.85; div. 12, \$14.50; div. 16, \$9.30; div. 14, \$17.40; div. 22, \$2.50; div. 27, \$15.50; div. 21, \$23; Geo. Hoover, crushing gravel, \$315.50; D. Saunders, l.s., \$2; Chas. Bowser, culvert, \$2.50; Geo. Windsor, trucking, \$36.15; P. Hutchinson, \$26.75; Jas. Cooney, \$32.10; F. Widdfield, \$5.40; Chas. Case, \$3.50; J. H. Widdfield, salary, \$88; R. Brown, fuel, \$13.20; Floyd Preston, salary, \$70.70; Stiver Bros., coal, \$26.

## Cedar Valley

Mrs. Jesse Lundy gave an afternoon tea last Thursday. The following guests were present: Mrs. Frank Widdfield, Mrs. Leslie Rose, Mrs. Howard McClure and Miss Mary Reynolds of Cedar Valley, Mrs. Wesley Lundy, Mrs. Randall Chapman, Mrs. Jack Skinner, Misses Minnie Widdfield, Alena Widdfield and Alma Chapman of Pine Orchard.

Mrs. John Pyle and Miss Irene Pyle spent Wednesday in Toronto.

Mrs. Chas. Brandon, Jr., and Mrs. John Reid of Pine Orchard called on Mrs. Percy Hutchinson on Thursday.

The next community club meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hope on Thurs-

day evening, Nov. 23, at 8.15 p.m. It is being held on Thursday evening, so that any who wish to, will be able to attend the supper at Bogartown on Friday.

The members have been divided into two sides with Miss Alena Widdfield and Rae McClure as leaders. Points are to be given for attendance, punctuality, response to roll call.

Miss Widdfield's group will give the program on Thursday evening, Nov. 23.

Miss Rowena Morrison spent the weekend at her home in Newmarket.

Mr. and Mrs. Edson Johnston and Mrs. M. Wilson attended the fowl supper at Queensville last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stevens and Miss Jean Stevens had Sunday dinner with Mrs. Stevens' sister, Mrs. Edgar Rose and Mr. Rose.

Mr. Sam Gibney, Mrs. W. Reid and Miss Helen Reid spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Coles at Barrie.

Mrs. Minnie Wilson spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Breckon, and Mr. Breckon. Dr. J. Gordon Cook of Newmarket gave an interesting talk on "Health," to the pupils of the school on Friday afternoon.

The annual beef-ring oyster supper will be held at the Bogartown school on Friday evening, Nov. 17.

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Large crowds attended all sessions of the annual Bible conference held by the Brethren in Christ in the Heise Hill church on Sunday and Monday.  
A number of visiting preachers from other Ontario centres, as well as the United States, brought very inspiring messages. Elder Samuel Lady of Sandusky, Mich., remained to conduct a series of revival meetings, which will be held nightly, except Saturday, until further notice.  
Anniversary services were held in the Gormley Mennonite church on Sunday last with large congregations attending all three services.  
The Y. P. U. of the United church cancelled their meeting on Sunday night so that they could attend the Young People's rally at Queensville.  
Messrs. Dalton Rumney, Heber McCague, Garnet Francy, James Valliere and Frank Brumwell were some of the local hunters who spent the past ten days in the woods hunting deer. All returned with a nice trophy of the chase.  
Mrs. Bruce Wallace and children visited Mrs. Frank Brumwell during Mr. Brumwell's absence in the woods hunting.  
Mr. E. J. M. Hitchcock of Teston spent most of last week renewing acquaintances in this vicinity.  
Oswald James, who farms near Steele's Corners, had the misfortune to lose his barn, a number of cattle, grain and roots, by fire, last Sunday night. The total loss is estimated at approximately \$30,000.

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HERE  
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EVERY-  
WHERE

By RALPH M.  
ADAMS

They say the frost is on the  
pumpkin but the last few nites  
the frost has been on this town  
pumpkin. Boy, I nearly froze to  
death this week (condolences,  
customers, I didn't kick the  
bucket).

However, the snap in the air  
does remind us that hockey is  
just around the corner, and pro  
puckchasing is a reality.

Monday evening this burg's  
new Redmen opened the season  
in the high school gym, opponent  
Mr. Westbrook, who beat them  
soundly in a fast game of P.T.

Who said no casualties? Ask  
some of the boys how they felt  
Tuesday.

Right now on the squad I'll bet  
there are more sore backs and  
stiff muscles than the team will  
have all winter, and the more  
power to Westy. If he can limber  
them up enough now, they  
will miss plenty of bruises later  
on this winter.

With the wealth of material  
that turned out to the P. T. jerks  
on Monday (between 35 and 40)  
there should be plenty of com-  
petition for every post.

Competition is the essence of  
good teams in every sport, with  
plenty of opposition. The so-  
called sure-fire player has to  
show up as good as the rookie  
that is trying to replace him.  
Thus, no matter who wins out,  
there are no weak sisters.

All last year's good juveniles,  
plus three or four of the boys  
who played with the Aurora  
juniors last season, coupled with  
a flock of newcomers, should  
make the '40 edition of the can-  
notowners worthy torch-bearers of  
the Redmen's well-known fight-  
ing qualities.

Some of the local fans, I'm  
afraid, won't exactly know how  
to act at a junior game (it's so  
long since we had them here).  
However, if they turn in the  
same high-class game of enthu-  
siasm they formerly did, this old  
burg won't be long going places  
in the junior O. H. A. world  
again.

So you rabid junior fans, come  
out this winter and back this  
new teen-age aggregation to the  
limit. Give the boys the en-  
couragement they deserve; let's  
not have them playing out of  
town any more. One mistake  
should be enough.

While ticking out this column,  
your scribe wishes to extend an  
orchid to the Pickering College  
football team on their unbeaten  
and untied season, being the first  
in the history of the school, I  
believe.

The silver and blue mopped  
up such formidable opponents as  
Trinity, Lakefield, U. T. S. and  
St. Mike's without faltering, and  
some of the posies should drift  
in the direction of Coach Hod-  
gets, who turned in a swell job  
of master-minding.

Along the grapevine . . .  
Western's Mustangs copied the  
intercollegiate loop in handy  
attack . . . Balmy Beach (the  
R. S. A. band's favorite team)  
passed from the picture when  
they went over the road in Sar-  
nia . . . Argos play blood and  
thunder in the federal capital on  
Saturday and it would be kind  
of nice if Storey turned tortoise  
and the Roughriders won the  
eastern title . . . Certainly  
would be swell to have someone  
else play the west for the cham-  
pionship, other than Toronto or  
Hamilton . . . Perhaps Varsity  
has the finals signed up for 15  
years in advance like the Maple  
Leaf Gardens have the O. H. A.  
finals . . . Remember when  
Hamilton Tigers kicked and fin-  
ally dropped out because they  
wanted just half of the finals in  
their own city before the fans  
who had supported them all  
season . . . Then and not before  
did the public know of the Gar-  
dens contract . . . Great tie-up,  
Gardens and O. H. A. Just like  
that . . . Money is the thing,  
whether sports suffer or not.  
Whether some little club takes a  
licking that closes it up or not,  
the lion must get his share . . .  
And they talk about Chicago in  
its heyday, up both sleeves I'm  
telling . . . My man Friday says  
Johnny O'Connor, our slugging  
welter, has an offer from Farr, a  
promoter in Calgary, to scrap  
this winter or next spring . . .  
Johnny should get plenty of ex-  
perience if he accepts this offer  
and personally this column  
thinks he will . . . This offer  
also included Tommy Burke, the  
local feather, but I heard the  
other day that Tommy is hum-  
ming "South of the Border," and  
meaning it next year some

## PEPPER AND SALT

BY "PEE"

The N. H. S. wound up its  
inter-school pigskin season last  
Thursday, suffering a close de-  
feat at the hands of the Pick-  
ering Seconds. The game ended  
5-2 in favor of the blueshirts.  
This was the second engagement  
between these two senior squads  
and also the secondum blackout  
for the never-say-die boys.

Bad luck and inexperience  
spelled the defeat of Fifth and  
Company. Bill Jelley ran back  
a kick-off, at the start of the  
third quarter, from his own 20  
over the collegians' goal-line,  
but the touch wasn't allowed.  
Still the purple and gold array  
was badly out-generalled when  
Pickering started a power drive  
in the last quarter.

This closed a football season  
certainly not productive in vic-  
tories for the high schoolers, but  
at least productive in experience  
and keen enjoyment of the game.  
After all, rugby is one game that  
requires something else besides  
skill, stamina and victories; it  
requires a fighting and chival-  
rous spirit.

A good number of potential  
junior C hockeyists were on  
hand Monday night for the first  
skateless practice in the high  
school gymnasium. Physical  
jerks were the order of the  
night. The final test will come  
with the initial ice practices.

Sutton fans expect to have both  
intermediate and junior teams  
this year. A few fears will be  
shed over the absence of those  
cross-purpose intermediate games  
engaged in by the Greenshirts  
and the Newmarket Redmen in  
seasons gone by. Here's hoping  
that, unlike vaudeville, they will  
come back stronger than ever.

## BELIEVE IT OR NOT

By GOLDEN GLOW

In Friday evening's "Star,"  
Nov. 10, in "Believe it or not"  
is a picture of a merman of Aden  
in the Red Sea, and underneath  
are the words: "A fake that fooled  
Europeans for centuries! Sir  
Walter Raleigh told Queen Eliza-  
beth of having seen one—and  
the city of Modena, Italy, has a  
specimen that cost \$25,000. It is  
nothing more than a clever com-  
bination of a monkey and a fish."

Well, my dear readers, I have  
also, in company with many more  
of our town citizens, been fooled  
too, if all that is so! But I don't  
believe it! With my own eyes I  
saw one, and if Mrs. Howard  
Cane reads this, she can corrob-  
orate all I say here for she owns  
the specimen! It was several  
years ago, and the occasion was  
the exhibit of manual training  
and domestic science, over at the  
Stuart Scott school.

Well do I recall it, for as I  
stepped out of the car and  
walked over to the school  
entrance, I wondered at the  
crowd collected there, and their  
evident excitement. The former  
principal was there, Mr. Cornell,  
and Mrs. Cane—and when they  
saw me coming they greeted me  
very smilingly, while several  
boys and girls rushed to tell me  
what was the object of their  
excitement, and urge me forward  
to see the "merman." I cannot  
believe it was a fake, for at the  
time there was a discussion in  
the papers concerning the auth-  
enticity of the stories of mermen  
seen by seamen at various times,  
and it was proven to be the  
truth.

It surely is a peculiar looking  
creature, but why should it be a  
fake? The upper part looks  
human, while the lower part is  
fish. Don't you suppose there  
must have been some solid founda-  
tion for the universal belief of  
people in mermaids and mer-  
men?

That merman, over at the  
school that evening, surely  
created a furore! We talked  
about it for days, wrote about it  
in the papers, the high school  
students studied it in their  
zoology class. Mr. Kidd, I am  
sure, will recall it. Maybe he  
would be kind enough to write a  
little article to tell us I am cor-  
rect. If it had been a fake  
wouldn't they have found it out?  
And I am sure Mr. Jackson will  
also recall it as well as Mr. Cor-  
nell. I do wish somebody else  
would add a line to this and we  
could all unite in writing to Mr.

month . . . With both Cain and  
Molyneux transferring their  
allegiance to Boston and Cleve-  
land respectively, the local fans'  
interest will naturally shift to  
these outfalls . . . Till next edi-  
tion your scribe retires.  
—R. M. A.

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MR. H. A. JACKSON, CHAIRMAN

- Chairman's Remarks.
- Presentation of Athletic Awards—Mr. Robert Dick
  - Inter-school prizes:  
Eckardt Cup—Howard Hamilton.  
Junior Boys' Championship Medal—Bill Jelley.  
Bronze Medal for breaking inter-school record—Mervyn Ewart.  
Gold Medal for breaking three inter-school records—Bill Jelley.
  - Local Field Meet Prizes:  
Form Cup—4A (represented by Jean Hill).  
Senior Girls' Champion—Helen O'Halloran; Runner-up—Jean Hill.  
Junior Girls' Champion—Mary McComb and Marion Crowder, (equal); Runner-up—Claire Gould.  
Juvenile Girls' Champion—Agnes Wilmut; Runner-up—Dorothy Dales.  
Senior Boys' Champion—Bob Dixon; Runner-up—Victor Higginson.  
Junior Boys' Champion—Bill Jelley; Runner-up—Myles McInnis.  
Juvenile Boys' Champion (Winner of the Dr. Dales Cup)—Harry Peppiatt; Runner-up—Douglas Chalklin.
- One-Act Play—"Glamour in the Poconos" (directed by Mr. Mungovan).  
Time—The Present.  
Place—The verandah of a summer hotel overlooking the Poconos.

## The Cast

- Julius Karp . . . . . Graydon Rogers  
Jane Duke . . . . . Jean Smith  
Martha Breen . . . . . Betty Dales  
Amy Ferris . . . . . Alice Belugin  
Basil Rainey . . . . . Douglas Chalklin  
Henry Timberlake . . . . . Murray Davis  
A Waitress . . . . . Phyllis Ruddock
- Presentation of Academic Diplomas—Mr. H. C. Westbrook.
    - Complete Honour Matriculation or Normal Entrance:  
Geneva Babcock, Gerald Blight, Robert Dales, William Fraser, Audrey Geer, John Johnston, Helen Lunney, Lorne McCordick, Mary Osborne, Jack Peppiatt, Gordon Smalley, Dan Teasdale, James Tod.
    - Senior Diplomas (U. S. English, Can. History and five other subjects of the Middle or Upper School): Mona Armstrong, Denne Bosworth, Jack Burnham, Lois Cane, James Cullen, Harold Cunningham, Ruth Doyle, Donald Elines, Blanche Evans, Mervyn Ewart, Fred Heacock, Geale Hewson, Gordon Hunt, Bruce Jefferson, Marion Jefferson, Kenneth Johns, Blanche McDonald, Florence Oliver, Doris Proctor, Elsie Smith, Jean Smith.
    - Junior Diplomas (U. S. English, Can. Hist. and five other subjects of the Middle or Upper School): Joan Baines, Fred Cunningham, Leslie Faichney, Jerald Pollock, Brock Ramsay, Joyce Smith, Arthur Sweetie.
  - Presentation of Commercial Diplomas and Prizes—Miss Pearson.
    - Grade A Diploma: Norine Ayers.
    - Grade B Diplomas: Mildred Carroll, Ruth Pinder, Audrey Walker.
    - Pass Diplomas: Ruth Bain, Annie Barselaar, Jack Duncan, Mary Henry, Margaret Peel, Bruce Prest, Jack Wilbee.
    - Typing Medals: Gold—Norine Ayers; Bronze—Annie Barselaar, Mildred Carroll, Mary Henry, Margaret Peel, Ruth Pinder, Bruce Prest, Audrey Walker.
    - Pitman Shorthand Certificates for 80 words per minute were presented with diplomas of: Annie Barselaar, Mary Henry, Ruth Pinder, Audrey Walker.
    - Pitman Shorthand Pins for 100 words per minute: Norine Ayers, Mildred Carroll, Jack Duncan, Margaret Peel.
    - Valedictory Address—Miss Audrey Geer.
    - Junior Glee Club—(a) "Dear Land of Home," by Sibellus. (b) "Czechoslovakian Dance Song," by Manney.
  - Presentation of High School Board Proficiency Prizes and the Form Proficiency Shields—Mr. A. M. Mills.
    - High School Board Form Proficiency Prizes: Form V—Geneva Babcock; IVA—Mona Armstrong; IVC—Norine

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a monkey and a fish, but the real  
"McCoy"—a real specimen of a  
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Thursday by Misses Margaret  
Duncan and Bernice Thomas.  
Many useful gifts were received.  
A number of Miss Tracy's New-  
market friends were present.

- Ayers; IIC—Victor Higginson; IIIA—Mary Margaret Webb; IIA—Jean Cunningham; IIB—Georgia Wales; IA—Dorothy Gartshore; IB—Marjorie Rogers; IC—Eula Pollock; ID—Jean Lynn.
- (b) Proficiency Shields, donated for annual competition, were won as follows:  
Form V—H. E. Gilroy Shield—Geneva Babcock.  
Form IV—Violet Robinson MacNaughton Shield—Mona Armstrong.  
Form III—Smith's Hardware Shield—Mary Margaret Webb.  
Form II—Hillsdale Dairy Shield—Jean Cunningham.  
Form I—Morley D. Rowland Shield—Dorothy Gartshore.  
Riddell Bros. Commercial Shield—Norine Ayers.
9. Presentation of Special Prizes—Miss McDonald.
- The Bogart Memorial Scholarship in English and History (to be presented by Mr. E. C. Bogart, K. C.)—Mona Armstrong.
  - The Davis Prizes in Upper School Mathematics, donated by Mr. Aubrey Davis—1, John Johnston; 2, Geneva Babcock.
  - The Dr. J. H. Wesley Prizes for general proficiency in the Upper School: 1, Geneva Babcock; 2, Jack Peppiatt.
  - The Oratorical Prizes, donated by Mrs. Aubrey Davis and Mr. E. J. Davis: Senior Boys—William Fraser, Kenneth Johns; Senior Girls—Alice Belugin, Martha Cooren; First Year—Hattie Farren, Jean Lynn; Second Year—Murray Davis, Jean Cunningham.
  - Mr. Geo. D. Wark's Prize for proficiency in the Lower School—Dorothy Gartshore.
  - Mr. W. L. Kidd's prizes for personality and character—Jean Smith and Howard Hamilton.
  - Mr. Bastedo's Prize for dependability—Victor Higginson.
  - Mr. Elman Campbell's Shield for Middle School Science—Mervyn Ewart.
  - Miss Lyons' Shield for character, leadership, scholarship and athletics—Audrey Geer.
  - The N. H. S. Alumni Association Prizes (in honour of Mr. W. L. Kidd): Fifth Year—John Johnston; Fourth Year—Geale Hewson; Third Year—Murray Link; Second Year—Grace McDonald; Commercial Class—Mary Henry.
  - Mr. H. A. Jackson's Prize—Lorne King.
  - Senior Glee Club—"Lullaby," by Marshall.
  - Senior and Junior Glee Clubs—"Heart of Oak," by Boyce.
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## MOUNT ALBERT PUBLIC MAN STRICKEN WHILE OUT HUNTING

The news, which spread around the town on Thursday evening of last week, that Mr. Milton Mainprize had suffered a stroke while hunting up north, was quickly followed on Friday with the news that he had passed away in St. Joseph's hospital, Parry Sound.

While on his runway at Moorhead camp hunting ground he was suddenly taken ill and was rushed by train to Parry Sound where he was met by his wife and son.

Mr. Mainprize was brought home Saturday morning, and the funeral was held on Monday from the United church with Rev. R. V. Wilson in charge of the service. Mr. Wilson spoke very nicely of the great community spirit of Mr. Mainprize.

Mr. Mainprize took a pride in civic affairs and did not leave his share for someone else to do, but rather did more than his share and did it humbly, from a deep love of people and of duty. He loved children and all they who knew him loved him in return. He was always working for anything that would give pleasure to the community.

Mr. Mainprize was chairman of the park board since the beginning, was on the board of the town hall, a police trustee and manager of Mount Albert telephone company.

Mr. Mainprize has always been a staunch Liberal and took an active part in the North York Liberal association, being president

of the Mount Albert Liberal Association. He was also president of the local club.

A member of the Christian church, Mr. Mainprize had attended the United for some years, as there is no Christian church at Mount Albert.

The village has suffered a loss and the many organizations to which he belonged are going to find it hard to fill his place. He is survived by his widow, formerly Eliza Shaw and one son, Lorne, of Toronto.

Mr. Mainprize was the son of the late William Mainprize, a pioneer of this community, who farmed on the farm now occupied by Mr. Scott Croone, on the centre road, and where the deceased also farmed until coming to Mount Albert some years ago.

He was one of a family of twelve children, of whom still survive, Mrs. Geo. Haigh of Winnipeg, Mrs. William Sawdon, Newmarket, Mrs. Geo. Harrison of Mount Albert, Edgar, Ravenshoe, and Albert of Saskatchewan.

Mr. Mainprize was laid to rest in Mount Albert cemetery, leaving a memory of one who had set a marvellous example of community spirit.

Pallbearers were Ed. Haigh, Ethan Haigh, Walter Hirst, A. Harrison, Robert Mainprize and Glen Shaw.

Mr. Donald Stewart spent the weekend at Picton, bringing his mother home from a visit at the home of her brother, Mr. Gordon Wagg.

Mr. Bruce Ross and Barry of Toronto were at the home of his mother, Mrs. H. Ross, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Mainprize are spending a few days with Mr.

## KESWICK SELLS PRIZE BULL TO JAMAICA HERD

R. B. Henry arrived home Saturday from Montreal after shipping his Guernsey bull, Donlana Langwater Prince 2nd, to the experimental farm, Hope, Kingston, Jamaica.

This bull has proven himself a very successful prize-winner this year, winning four firsts, three championships and two silver cups. All congratulate Mr. Henry on his success.

Mainprize's mother, Mrs. M. Mainprize.

A memorial service was held at the park gates on Sunday afternoon when many citizens and veterans of the last Great War gathered to do honor to the memory of their comrades who made the supreme sacrifice.

The service was taken by Rev. R. V. Wilson and Mrs. Duncan Stokes placed the memorial wreath. The Last Post was sounded by Geo. Price, Veterans from Newmarket, Queensville and Sharon joined Mount Albert. Lunch followed the program at the home of H. G. Barnes, and an hour or two was spent in singing old time war songs.

Mrs. William Harrison is slightly improved after being confined to bed for some weeks.

Mrs. Clarence Harten was taken to York county hospital on Saturday, and on Monday she underwent a rather serious operation. All are glad to hear she is recovering nicely.

The annual hot supper of the United church was held on Wednesday evening of last week, and after everyone had partaken of turkey and all the other good things of which there was a generous supply, an excellent program of high-class music was given to a capacity crowd in both the community hall and the United church, by the Toronto Treble choir under the direction of Mrs. Cora Buchner.

The quartette, composed of Mesdames Wakeling, Ward, Milner and Moulding, rendered several pleasing melodies such as, "The Rosary," Brahms' "Lullaby" and Offenbach's "Barcarolle." Miss Gregg played the piano and Mrs. Buchner the violin, and both showed themselves skilled musicians, rendering their pieces with great skill and delicacy of feeling.

Lorne Price, baritone soloist, sang most pleasingly and displayed a voice of great volume under excellent control. An elocutionist gave several recitations which pleased the people.

A surprise number was the awarding of a silver cup to Mr.

Wilson for horseshoe pitching, which he won at the College in the Woods, at Huntsville. Mrs. Buchner presented this cup on behalf of the donor, F. T. Graham of the St. Clair Ave. Y.M.C.A., who was unable to be present himself.

The proceeds of the supper amounted to about \$350.

On Friday evening, Nov. 17, a group of young ladies will be at the Gospel church, (U.F.O. hall), and will play guitars. Children will repeat the books of the entire Bible in competition. First prize will be a pen and pencil set. Sunday-school will be held at 2:30 p.m.

On Sunday evening, the Sunshine group will again be here and will play violin, guitar and mouth organ music.

Mr. Ernest Dempster, graduate of Toronto Bible college, will be the guest speaker.

The Young People's union held their weekly meeting on Monday night.

The topic for the evening on "India" was taken by Doris Draper, after which several interesting slides were shown by Mr. Wilson. The leaders of the union are encouraged by the large attendance and hope that it continues throughout the year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pilky of Pickering spent Saturday at the home of Mr. W. R. Draper.

Mr. Bernard Draper and Miss Boyson of Toronto spent the weekend at Mr. Draper's home in town.

## NORTH GWILLIMBURY WELFARE OFFICIAL ADDRESSES COUNCIL

A meeting of North Gwillimbury township council was held at Belhaven on Monday. All the members were present.

A permit was granted to the Canadian Red Cross society to conduct a canvass for funds in the municipality.

Mr. Connelly, of the department of public welfare, was present and gave the council some useful information concerning administration of relief.

The following accounts were passed for payment: Jas. Stevenson, stamps, \$21; Hydro Commission, Keswick street lights, \$174.72; community hall, Hydro account, \$6.42; Edward Barker, sheep claim, \$77.46; Thos. Ardill, bailiff, \$15; Dr. O. M. Beattie, \$7; Perry Winch, insurance premiums, \$100; Hydro account, \$5.39; road voucher No. 12, \$225.05.

Relief accounts: Township of East Gwillimbury, \$3.98; city of Toronto, \$19.03; Mrs. W. Comer, \$4.96; township wood distributed on relief account, 11 cords.

## KING TOWNSHIP COUNCIL HOLDS FINANCIAL WIND-UP

The treasurer was instructed to transfer \$1,600 from the permanent school fund to the township general account for school purposes, to be distributed among the various schools for the clergy reserve and surplus grants, at the last regular meeting of the council for the financial year on Monday evening.

The police village of Schomberg was credited with \$40 charge for fire protection.

The clerk was instructed to write the superintendent's office of the C.N.R., Allandale division, and arrange for a meeting with railway officials and the commissioners of the police village of King re repairs to sidewalks within the railway right-of-way.

A cheque for \$2.94 was ordered issued to John Phillips for overpayment on his 1938 taxes.

The clerk was authorized to issue a cheque, for their services as fence viewers for the year 1939, to Jack Gould, one award, \$2; Thos. Proctor, one award, \$2; A. Somerville, one award, \$2.

A cheque for \$48 to the permanent common school funds, the same being the 1938 interest was issued, the same being the 1938 interest on the Phillip Barry mortgage, having been received Dec. 5, 1936, and credited to the general township account.

The following accounts were passed for payment: H. G. Rose, registrations, \$3.25; A. Davis, P.V.S., coal, fire hall, \$43; W. F. Brown, Comm., services, \$10; D.B. Davis, Comm., services, \$10; Mrs. E. B. Aicheson, in trust, services, \$10; Schomberg Farmers' Co., P.V.S. tile, \$1.44; Ed. Ferguson, P.V.S. labor, \$4; W. E. Dale, P.V.S. gas, fire engine, \$3.84; C. Fell, P.V.S. fire truck services, \$26.03; Woodbridge Advertiser, advertisements, \$17.70; Banner Press, printing (extras), \$35.01; H. G. Rose, cartage, 35 c; G. J. Lawrie, funeral, \$50; G. Farquhar, police services, \$21.75; Chas. A. Connors, funeral services, \$17; C. N. I. for the Blind, \$12; J. Lockhart, vet. services, \$3; A. E. Archibald, coal, \$3.65; postmaster, stamps, \$15.

Relief account, \$41.01; road voucher, \$1,197.83; road voucher, \$1,531.92.

The meeting adjourned to meet again at the Community hall, Nobleton, on Saturday, Nov. 25, at 9 a.m.

## SHARON HOME NURSING CLASS WILL BE ORGANIZED

There will be a meeting held in the township hall, Sharon, on Tuesday, Nov. 21, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of organizing a home nursing class of the Red Cross Association.

The classes deal with the following subjects: health in the home, the food needs of adults, feeding infants and children, care of the mouth and teeth, the bedroom in health and sickness, the signs of sickness, the care of the patient, feeding the sick, treatments, communicable diseases, maternity nursing, infant care, emergencies.

All those interested are asked to please attend this meeting or have their name sent in for membership. Mrs. R. J. Rogers, Sharon, is the instructor.

## Belhaven

On Tuesday the Women's Institute met in the hall with the president, Mrs. Harry Horner, in charge of the meeting. There was a good attendance and Dr. F. G. Pim of Keswick gave a splendid talk on "First Aid." This should be very helpful to all who heard it, as so many practical things were explained.

The music given by Claude York and Albert Cox was appreciated by all. The Women's Institute is co-operating with the Red Cross work and several ladies took yarn home to knit socks for the soldiers. This phase of the work was in the charge of Miss Eva Sillea.

The W. I. convention, which is to be held in Toronto, Nov. 22, 23 and 24, will be attended. It is hoped by a carload of members. Mrs. Harry Horner is the delegate from the Belhaven branch. A good lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

Even though last Friday night was so rainy the hot fowl supper in the community hall, under the auspices of Bethel United church, was a good success financially. There was a good crowd, a good supper of roast goose, etc., and a splendid entertainment.

The program included selections by a very fine orchestra, a reader, an interesting (who) and make a dog laugh, a reader, and a soloist, who finished the program by singing "There is no death." The talent was all from Toronto and thanks are due the Bethel minister, Mr. Lundstad, for procuring such exceptional talent, whose equal is seldom heard except in the city.

The weather is bright and cold, with some snow on the ground, which reminds one that Christmas is on the wing.

The council met in the hall last Monday.

It is reported that nomination day in Belhaven is Nov. 24.

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## POLICE CHIEF PRAISES HALLOWE'EN PARTY

The following letter of approval from Chief Constable James E. Sloss was read at the Newmarket Lions club on Monday evening. The letter is addressed to President Jack Luck.

"On behalf of this department, I wish to take this opportunity of extending congratulations to your club as well as expressing my appreciation for the most able manner in which the children of this municipality were entertained and cared for during the night of Oct. 31 last, a time when, so often, vandalism becomes dangerous and causes considerable damage to property. Judging from a police standpoint, this most certainly was a welcome and successful undertaking, as complaints and damage, as a result, were at a minimum. Property damage within the entire town would not exceed \$5, while only two complaints were registered at this office, a very unusual occurrence as compared with other years."

"During the course of the next few days, following Halloween, I had an occasion to question certain boys concerning broken street lights and the word for word answer received was: 'You don't think that we would do that after the good time the Lions club gave us, do you?'"

Surely this is sufficient to prove that a great deal had been accomplished. But after hearing comments of children as they left the arena to go home, I could not but conclude that the night had been a huge success and hence money well spent."

"The elimination of juvenile delinquency has always been the foundation of all police work, therefore I contend that a similar practice such as exercised by your club on Halloween might well be copied by other municipalities."

## GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY ON 19TH ANNIVERSARY

On Nov. 10, the occasion being the 19th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Milford Rye, formerly of Keswick, they were most delightfully taken by surprise when Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Rye and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Cowieson and Irene, of Toronto, stole a march on them by dropping in, just at supper time, beautifully laden with roast chickens and other edibles too numerous to mention.

After supper, Mr. Wylder produced chocolate candy, and the children presented their parents with a rose glass cake plate.

The evening was spent in harmonica and piano selections and games.

Mr. and Mrs. Rye expressed their thanks to all who so generously contributed to a highly enjoyable evening.

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## Mount Pleasant

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Quite a number from here attended the anniversary services at Sutton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Hopkins have moved into their new home. Miss Eileen Yorke is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Everett Yorke.

A shower was given Mr. and Mrs. Earl Monday last Tuesday night at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Travis.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hamilton attended the funeral of Mr. Milton Mainprize at Mount Albert on Monday.

Miss Olive Williamson of the Sutton baseline visited at Mr. Bernard Davidson's last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson had Sunday dinner with Mr. and

Mrs. Jack Munroe at Elmgrove. Mrs. Everett Yorke and son, Claude, and Miss Eileen Yorke spent Sunday at Jackson's Point.

Mrs. Wm. Moulds spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Bernard Davidson.

The Mount Pleasant Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. E. Miller on Friday evening at 8 p.m. All are invited to attend. All members provide.

Church services next Sunday will be as usual, Sabbath school at 2 p.m. and church service at 3 p.m.

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